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NEWS AND VIEWS. . . And What Have You By BOB CRAIG

Apparently there will be a good crowd on hand Saturday when the Piper track team makes its bid for another Regional championship at Odessa. A number of people we have talked to plan on being at Odessa this weekend.

Unfortunately, most of us will not be able to be on hand for as much of the regional competition as we would like. The golf matches will be in Andrews on Friday and the track meet gets underway Friday afternoon in Odessa. Most of the fans will just be on hand for the finals in the running events on Saturday.

We extend the best wishes of all the Hamlin fans to these youngsters who will be representing us this weekend.

As the May 4 Democratic Primary gets close at hand it is time to look at some more of the contested races and time to make some decisions on which candidates to support.

One race that may go down to the wire is the one for State Senator for this district. Both Ray Farabee and Charles Finnell seem to have drawn good support in their bids for this Senate seat being vacated by Jack Hightower.

Finnell seemed to have been caught with a little egg on his face following the disclosure of his expense fund, but he denies any wrong doing in regard to the phone calls charged to the state.

While either candidate would probably do us a good job in Austin we tend to lean a little more in the direction of Farabee. It's not one of those cases where there is only one man for the job, but after visiting with both men we just feel that probably Farabee is the better

choice of the two. Farabee seems just a little bit more mature of the two and for this reason and a few others, he will get our support.

At least in our own minds the race for the District 61 House seat is a little bit more cut and dried. In the first place I can still remember the hard time Rep. Elmer Martin gave us on our bid for our hospital district. If it had been up to him we would have never gotten a bill out of the Legislature.

We have not talked to anyone who went to Austin last year in support of the hospital districts who didn't come back thinking that we were poorly represented in Austin. Like most of them I was amazed at how little support he offered the vast majority of voters in this county.

Since he seemed to have favored the people in the southern part of the county during that issue I for one am willing for those people to keep supporting him and for us to find us someone else to support. He wasn't interested in us then and I don't believe we should be interested in him now.

This leaves us two choices in this race and both Mike Young Jr. and Alton Staggs would probably make good representatives but here again a choice must be made and we feel that Young is the better of the two

choices. Both candidates are from Abilene but Young grew up in Fisher County and his family has engaged in farming and ranching activities for many years. Because of this Young would seem to be the better of the two choices because he does have a better understanding of the needs and problems of the rural areas of this district.

But to us his big strong point is his interest in education. This will continue to be one of the number one problems facing our Legislature for years to come. Young's experience

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YOUTH LEADERSHIP TEAM-Members of the Youth Leadership Team, composed of six students from each of the four high school classes, conducted sessions at Hamlin Junior High School Tuesday morning. Here, students get classroom assignments from Principal Marvin Carlton. Mrs. Shirley Temples, consultant with the Region 14 Education Service Center, (in center of picture) works with high school teacher Sammy Ferguson (to her right) on the project. Follow-up sessions will be held later.



TEAM IN CLASSROOM—The Youth Leadership Team conducts a "fishbowl technique" with junior high school students during the Tuesday morning session. Some of the purposes of the Team are to aid in drug education programs, help to counsel another student and to help students develop and keep a healthy positive attitude toward life and life situations.

Cowboy Band will perform

throughout the barbecue,

starting at five o'clock on the

20th, in addition to a musical

production from the Albany

Fandangle Troupe. Gene and

Bobbie Moore of Anson will

present vocal patriotic

selections during the un-

veiling ceremonies. The

crowd will be led in the

Pledge of Allegience by

"Uncle Sam In Action" Lois

Dunlap; the invocation will

be offered by Dr. John

Garden Club

Flower Show

Is Cancelled

During the business

meeting of the Thursday

afternoon meeting of Hamlin

Garden Club, members voted

to cancel the annual flower

show that was set for Apr. 27.

The decision was made

because of the condition of

spring flowers in this area at

A plant sale to be held Apr.

24 will be in front of Thrif-Tee

Super Market beginning at 9

a.m. All members are urged

to bring their plants and

Mrs. Larry McCoy was

hostess for the Thursday

meeting. Mrs. K. H. Fleming

of Abilene presented the

program. Seventeen mem-

The next meeting will be at

2 p.m. May 9 in the home of

Mrs. R. D. Moore. In-

stallation of new officers will

assist with the sale.

bers were present.

be held.

this time.

Burleson Day Set In Anson Saturday

Stevens, President of Abilene

Christian College; a welcome

to out of town guests will be

extended by Jones County

Judge Leon Thurman.

Following the formal un-

veiling, Congressman

Burleson will make a few

remarks to conclude the

program. The festivities will

begin at 2:30 in the afternoon

with a Ladies Tea, honoring

Mrs. Omar Burleson, from

2:30 until 4:30 in the First

Methodist Church Parlor at

Anson. During the same

hours, a coffee honoring

Congressman Burleson will

be given at the Anson High

School Cafeteria for all men,

and both events are open to

According to Mrs. A. J.

Smith of Anson, Chairman of

the Ladies Tea, the Sculp-

tress, Juan Dell of Lubbock.

will be introduced at the tea.

Serving of the barbecue

will begin at five o'clock,

which is to be catered by the

Texas Trails Chuckwagon of

Albany, according to

Chairman Gist. Gist also

pointed out that tickets to the

barbecue are \$2.50 each and

are available at a number of

locations in each county of

First Assembly of God

Church will have a weekend

revival featuring Freddie

Weaver and Darrell Shaw,

both of Bowie, as the

p.m. on Friday and Saturday

and 6:30 p.m. on Sunday.

Services will be held at 7:30

Sets Revival

evangelists.

the public.

BARBECUE AT 5 P.M. -

Plans are in the final stages

for the big "Friends of Omar

Burleson" Day Celebration in

Anson Saturday, according to

General Chairman B. J. Gist.

The activities will get un-

derway at 2:30 p.m. with a

coffee and a tea. This will be

followed by a barbecue at 5

and the unveiling of a bronze

The County Judges from

the 33 counties of the 17th

Congressional District are

issuing proclamations

declaring April 20th "Omar

Burleson Day" in each

county. The main street of

downtown Anson will be

roped off throughout the

afternoon and early evening

for the big celebration,

centering around the Jones

County Courthouse and

square, where the bronze of

the Congressman is to be

Steering Committee

Chairman Gist has an-

nounced that personal in-

vitations have been extended

to the President, Vice

President, Speaker of the U.

S. House, both Texas

Senators, all members of the

Texas Delegation in the

Congress, the Governor, Lt.

Governor and Speaker of the

Texas House. Gist said that

he had not yet received

replies from the dignitaries

invited to the celebration. He

said he is hopeful that some of

the Washington and Austin

officials will be present for

The World-Travelled

Hardin Simmons University

the occasion.

unveiled at 7:00 p.m.

bust of the Congressman.

INTRACK, LITERARY, GOLF-

Hamlin Students In Regional Meet

Friday and Saturday at

Odessa, five at the golf meet

in Andrews Thursday and

Friday and one in the

Literary Contest in Odessa

In taking the District

Championship in track the

Pipers qualified 11 students

and one alternate to the

regional meet in 13 events

and both relays. Going to

regional with Coach Bill

Grissom will be Albert

McAfee, Alfred McAfee,

Ronnie Maberry, David

Willis, Bill Cork, Ray Scifres,

Gerry Young, Robert

Phariss, Johnny Jones, Steve

Evans and Oscar Marshall.

The Piper Golf team,

coached by Tom Dechairo,

also captured district honors

Saturday.

Hamlin High School will send 17 students to take part in the Region I University Interscholastic League competition this weekend. Twelve of these will take part in the track and field events

Hamlin results at Mason

440-yd Relay-1st, 42.4 (Albert McAfee, Johnny Jones, Alfred McAfee and Bill Cork).

120 High Hurdles-1st David Willis, 14.4; 3rd Ronnie

Maberry, 14.8. 100-yd Dash-1st Johnny

Jones, 9.8. 440-yd Dash-1st Bill Cork, 47.6, 2nd Alfred McAfee, 51.0. 330 Int. Hurdles--1st

David Willis, 40.7. 220-yd Dash-1st. Johnny

Jones, 21.9. Mile Relay-1st 3:20.9 (Alfred McAfee 51.5, Ronnie Maberry 50.7, David Willis 50.7, and Bill Cork 48.0). High Jump-1st Bill Cork,

Shot-6th Ray Scifres, 48'334".

Pee Wee Club **Tryouts Today**

Pee Wee baseball tryouts for boys ages 6 through 8 will be held today (Thursday) at 5 p.m. at the Little League Park.

All boys who would like to play Pee Wee baseball are urged to attend.

Girls to Sell **Candy Here**

Girls who are participating in Little League Baseball will be selling candy Saturday. They will cover both the downtown and residential areas of Hamlin.

> J. B. McCray of Panhandle, vice president of Region I, will be introduced by A. G. Carver of Abilene.

After a coffee break, the film, "The Dollar, The Scholar, and You," will be shown. A question and answer session moderated by Mrs. McCray will include Supt. A. E. Wells of Abilene,

and will be competing with 17 other teams from the region. Playing on the Hamlin golf team are Jerry Briscoe, Gary Creason, Tony Maberry, Blain Lewis and Dwayne

Representing Hamlin in the Literary Contest in Odessa will be Cynthia McMillan. She placed third in the shorthand contest at District.

First and second place winners at Regional will advance to the State meet to be held in Austin May 1

The Piper track team took first in the regional qualifiers meet held in Mason Friday with 115 points. Rule was second with 52, followed by Rankin with 50 and Breckenridge with 30.

Hamlin P-TA to Host Spring Conference Here

The 18th District Parent-**Teachers Spring Conference** will open at 9 a.m. Wednesday at First Baptist Church with registration and coffee served by Abilene City Council P-TA.

Mrs. Preston Parker, district president, will preside during th 9:30 business session. The Rev. Howard Jones, First Baptist pastor, will give the invocation. Mayor Joe Ford will give the welcome along with the superintendent of Hamlin schools, Bob Hawes. The response will be given by Mrs. Stuart Propst of Anson, district secretary.

Conference rules will be given by the parliamentarian, Mrs. Joe Griffin of Snyder. Mrs. Bill Moreland of Anson, vice president, will present the conference program.

The morning speaker, Mrs.

Supt. Hawes, C. G. Whitten,

president of the Abilene School Board, and W. T. Johnson, president of the Hamlin School Board, as members of the panel.

Hamlin P-TA members will serve a salad luncheon at noon. Life memberships will be presented. The Rev. Marshall Stewart, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, will offer thanks.

The afternoon session will begin at 1:15 with the presentation of program ideas by Mrs. Claude Currie of Amarillo, state health chairman.

Two group sessions will be held at 1:40. Mrs. McCray will lead Group I with Mrs. Gilbert Korman of Abilene as hostess. Mrs. Currie will lead Group II with Mrs. Shelly Smith of Abilene as hostess.

Committee reports at 2:15 will be by Mrs. Forrest Fox of Snyder, credentials; and Mrs. Ned Phillips of Haskell, courtesy.

The benediction will be given by the Rev. Johnnie Williams, pastor of First United Methodist Church.

The district board of directors will be guests of the Hamlin Independent School District at a dinner Tuesday evening at the high school cafetorium.

celebration.

The Hamlin City Council passed two ordinances here Monday evening to raise Fishing Permit fees at the South Lake and to control

The councilmen also Strain and Son of \$20,160.00 for seal coating 35 blocks of city paving and discussed insurance on the city's property and the budget for

It was also brought out during the meeting that rumors were going around town that the city is restricting the use of water, but it was stressed that this was completely untrue. The city has been informed that Lake Stamford, the city's source of water, has an eightyear supply at the present

Fishing Permits from \$5.00 to \$6.00 a year and will now

require a \$6.00 per year permit for boats. It was pointed out that this was the same fees being charged by the Anson Lake. The city will continue the 50 cents per day fee for fishing and will offer a 50 cents per day fee for boats.

The city has discontinued the separate fee for the West Lake and now the fees will be good at both lakes. In the past there has been a \$7.50 fee for both lakes.

The councilmen set a 15 miles per hour speed limit in the city park and will restrict all motor powered vehicles to the marked roadways or parking areas. The city will install markers to indicate the roadways and parking

It was pointed out during the meeting that the city is having trouble with motorcycles and cars being driven thoughout the park, creating a hazard and destroying trees and equipment in the park.

J. H. Strain and Son's bid on seal coating was based on 55 cents per square foot while the other bidder, Abilene Paving Company bid 56 cents per square foot. The firm has until Sept. 1 to complete the

The council has been working with local insurance agencies on the city's insurance program and tabled any action on the matter here Monday until they receive more information on the

The council also appointed a Board of Equalization for the city. Appointed were Donald Young, Robert Moore and Henry Albritton. All three men also will serve in the same capacity for the Hamlin Independent School District

IN CITY PARK-

the district. He added that

ticket sales are going well

and all indications are that

several thousand people from

over the district will be in

Anson on the 20th for the

City Council Hikes Lake Fees, Sets Speed Limit

traffic in the City Park. accepted the low bid of J. H.

the coming year.

The council increased the

The new fees go into effect May 1 when the old permits



LODGE RESIDENTS MARK BIRTHDAYS—Holiday Lodge residents observing birthdays during April are, from left, Lellie Meeks, Apr. 28, 1889; Lola Williams, Apr. 23, 1897; Eugene Cohorn, Apr. 9, 1901; John Harughty, Apr. 7, 1895; and seated, Laura Chappell, Apr. 1, 1900.

Maberry, Ragland Vows **Exchanged Here Thursday**

Dick Maberry and Edna Ragland of San Diego, Calif., were married here in his home at 8 p.m. Thursday, Apr. 4.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Marshall Stewart, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene.

Honor attendants were Mr. and Mrs. George Maberry. The bridegroom and Mr. Maberry are brothers and Mrs. Maberry and the bride are sisters.

The bride wore a white tailored dress and a corsage of white carnations accented

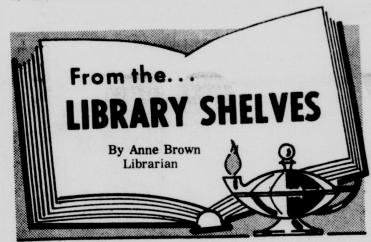
The reception table was covered with a white cutwork

cloth. Crystal and silver appointments were used.

Mrs. Bob Maberry served and Mrs. George Maberry registered the guests. Guests included Mr. and

Mrs. B. D. Smith of Hermleigh, brother of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Jones niece of the bride, and Doug Jones, all of Hermleigh, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Anderson of Noodle, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Maberry, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Maberry, Ruby Allen, all of McCaulley, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tegart and Mrs. Marshall

The couple plans a trip to California later.



been added to the shelves at Harden Memorial Library to provide interesting reading for patrons.

Also added is a large selection of books written in Spanish, including some children's books.

Another feature of the library services offered is the exchange of paperbacks. Patrons may bring their used paperbacks and exchange one for one for other titles from the paperback shelf.

A story hour for preschoolers is held each Thursday from 3:30 to 4 p.m. under the direction of the Woman's Forum and the Young Homemakers Chapter.

New book titles are "Celebrate the Sun" by James Kavanaugh; "Serpico" by Peter Maas, "The Fat is in Your Head" by Charlie Shedd; "Wonderland" by Joyce Carol Oates; "The Curse of the Kings" by Victoria Holt; "North Dallas Forty" by Peter Gent.

"Buried Alive" the biography of Janis Joplin by Myra Friedman; "Life and Death in a Coral Sea" by Jaques-Yves Cousteau; "When Eight Bells Toll" by Alistair MacLean; "The Technique of Landscape Painting" by Frederic Taubes; "Remember the

Bridge Winners

Mrs. Ray Sonnenburg and Dale Lain were top winners in the Tuesday evening Duplicate Bridge Club competition.

A three-way tie resulted for second, Mrs. W. O. Willbanks and Mrs. Floyd Briscoe, Mrs. W. L. Hunter Jr. and Mrs. L. W. Shivers and Beverly McMillan and Helen Vidrine, both of Abilene.

Several new books have Days" by Kenneth Sollitt; by Gregory "Tonya" Boyington; "Jaws" by Peter Benchley; "The Hollow Hills" by Mary Stewart; "The Kennedy Neurosis" by Nancy Clinch; and "The Instrument" by John O'Hara.

> HARDEN MEMORIAL LIBRARY 324 Southwest Ave. A. Schedule

Monday	3	to 5	p.m
Tuesday	5	to 7	p.m
Wednesday	3	to 5	p.m
Thursday	3	to 5	p.m
Friday	3	to 5	p.m

HOSPITAL **PATIENTS**

In Hospital Wednesday: Margie Roberson Billy Kitchen, Hawley Chris Wilcox Mrs. Edgar Smith Thomas Smith J. C. Cauble John E. Crow Sr. Mrs. Larry Brown, Roby W. B. Dobbins Jesse Mendoza Jr. Mrs. J. C. Turner Sr. John Holland Mrs. I. J. Dixson Bertha Simmons Floyd Turner Mrs. J. M. Allen, Asper-

mont Herde E. Douthett Morris Garcia Valeria Hudson Dismissed Apr. 10-Apr. 16 Bessie Sheffield Pete Bond

A. L. Gamble Evie Hubbard, Peacock

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Thomas Brown of Roby are parents of a boy, Joshua Lynn, 8 lbs. 4 oz., born Apr. 15 at 4:20 p.m.

Miss Johnston Honored With Tea Friday

Jeanette Johnston, of Tulare, Calif., bride-elect of Gary Cauble, was honored Friday afternoon with a gift tea in the parlor of First United Methodist Church.

Receiving with the honoree, were her mother, Mrs. David Johnston, of Tulare, Calif., her fiance's mother, Mrs. J. C. Cauble and her fiance's grandmother, Mrs. Ray Teague of Abilene.

The table was covered with a white tiered organza cloth centered with arrangement of blue and yellow iris. Crystal and silver appointments were used.

Hostesses were Mmes. Bill Davis, Richard Young Jr., Lewis Madden, Bert Fomby, Jap Kemp, Earl Brown, L. C. Bonds, Bill Rountree, James Harrison, Audrey Hodnett, Ira Parker, J. B. Jayroe, Brad Rowland, Fred Smith, Phil Smith, Lawrence Shivers, Johnnie Williams, Kent Jones, Jack Vaughan, Harry Dillard and Miss Betty Jean Dillard.

Mrs. Cooper **Hosts Friends** Class Meeting

HOLIDAY

LODGE

VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cross

and Mrs. Joe Gibson, all of

Graham, visited their mother

and grandmother, Josei

Mrs. Betty Jo Davis and

Linda of Lubbock visited her

visited his grandfather, Ben

O. B. Proctor of Abilene

Tuffy and Scott Metcalf.

Laura Baldree and Kim,

Ethel Cross and Carrie

Swink, all of Aspermont, were visitors of Josie Cross.

Mrs. Tommy Richey and

Susan Collins visited

Mattie Dorris, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Swafford, and Boyd Roland, all of Fort Worth, visited at Holiday Lodge. Other Lodge visitors included Mr. and Mrs. Otis

Tucker, Cindy and Tracie

Haggard, all of Abilene.

First Baptist Women Meet

Here Monday

The Baptist Women of the

First Baptist Church held

their regular monthly

meeting in the home of Mrs.

LaFoy Patterson Monday

Mrs. Dan Newberry gave

the program on "Mission-

Minded Portuguese." Mrs.

Howard Jones gave the Call

Others attending were

Mmes. Andy Brown, Herman

Mrs. Bobby Stubblefield

will present the May program

Sharer and A. F. Haught.

at the next meeting.

Zeta Psi

Chapter

Meets Here

annual meeting.

attending.

latent abilities.

creative abilities.

educators.

for surgery.

The Zeta Psi Chapter of

Delta Kappa Gamma of

Abilene met here last

Tuesday evening in the home

of Mrs. Leldon Clifton for the

Hamlin members, Dr.

Nelva Fowler, Mrs. Clifton,

and Mrs. Joe Norton, were

hostesses and served a salad

supper to the 28 members

The Hamlin members also

presented the program on

these subjects: should you

continue your education?;

implementing educational services; and developing

Various members brought

samples of hobbies that

showed the development of

Delta Kappa Gamma is an

Mrs. Otha (Viola) Brown

has returned home after

being hospitalized at

Stamford Memorial Hospital

honor society for women

evening.

to Prayer.

David of Hobbs, N. M. visited her grandmother, Mary

visited his mother, Martha

father, Ben McNeely.

Cross.

McNeely.

Arrington.

Buelah Greer.

Mrs. Paul Cooper was hostess for the Apr. 9 meeting of Friends Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church. Mrs. Elbert Payne,

outreach leader, presided Kerry Sipe of Lubbock over the meeting. The devotional was given by Mrs. Edgar E. Duncan, member of the Service Class of First Baptist Church on 'Easter Consecrated Hands'

> by Ethel Swets. Jello cheese cake, coffee, meeting with prayer.



PAM WAGGONER engagement announced

Pam Waggoner, Randy Ryno Plan Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Waggoner announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Pam, to E-4 Randy Ryno of Dyess Air Force Base, Abilene.

Parents of the prospective bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ryno of West.

The couple will be married Aug. 3 at First Baptist Church.

The bride-elect will be a spring graduate of Hamlin High School. Her fiance is a graduate of Aquilla High School and Hill

Junior College in Hillsboro. tea and mints were served. Members attending were Mmes. Albert Haught, teacher; H. L. Ford, assistant teacher; and Herman E.

Sharer. Several members

were not able to attend due to

illness Mrs. Ford closed the

Mrs. Williams To Host Tea Here Friday

Mrs. Jackie Williams, president of the Woman's Literary Club will be the hostess for the closing meeting of the year, the installation tea, Friday at 2

Making arrangements for the tea will be Mmes. Opal Smith, Loyd Burkhart and Guy Weaver. The refreshment committee includes Mmes. L. B. Bruner, W. A. Cassle and Johnnie Williams. Mrs. Earl Brown will

conduct the installation of

Mrs. Williams will give a resume of the year's accomplishments. Delegates to the district convention will give reports.

Mrs. Hunter In Recital At Texas Tech

Dianna Crowley Hunter performed in a trumpet recital at Texas Tech University, Saturday evening which was presented in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the bachelor of music education

She presented four trumpet solos. Two other trumpet majors, Mark Hall and Fred Klaerner, were also featured in the program.

Mrs. Hunter is a May candidate for graduation from Texas Tech.

Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Crowley, Rick and Reeta attended the recital.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Becker of Pecos visited with their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Butler.

Favorite Recipes

The recipe this week is for a novelty cake that is made with popcorn and requires no baking. Mrs. Ione Cheshier makes the cake frequently and the original recipe came from Carolyn Reynolds of Austin.

Miss Reynolds teaches in Austin and got the recipe from the mother of one of her

students. POPCORN CAKE 4 qts. popped popcorn 1 pkg. small gumdrops

8 oz. salted peanuts Mix together in large pan or dishpan. ½ c. oil

1/2 c. margarine 1 lb. pkg. marshmallows Melt the marshmallows in oil and margarine. Pour over the popcorn mixture. Press

firmly into buttered tube pan.

Remove after it is cool.

This recipe was given to Mrs. Dan Newberry by a native of Russia who now lives in Fort Worth. Mrs.

Newberry shares it with our readers with this comment: "It is delicious." It melts in your mouth, she added.

BRISKET Lay Brisket in foil large enough to cover and seal. Rub

Seasoning salt Adolph's Instant Meat Tenderizer

3 T Worchestershire Sauce 1/2 bottle of liquid smoke Close foil and marinate for 24 hours in the refrigerator.

degrees.

Bake for 8 hours at 200

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ROTAN, TEXAS

OUR THANKS AND APPRECIATION

To our Customers and Friends For your Patronage and contribution in making Mae's Gallery successful and a most enjoyable year. We regret moving but are pleased to sell the gallery to Mrs. Blanton who will be at 434 South Central. We encourage your continued association with her at Art Studio and Gallery for your painting

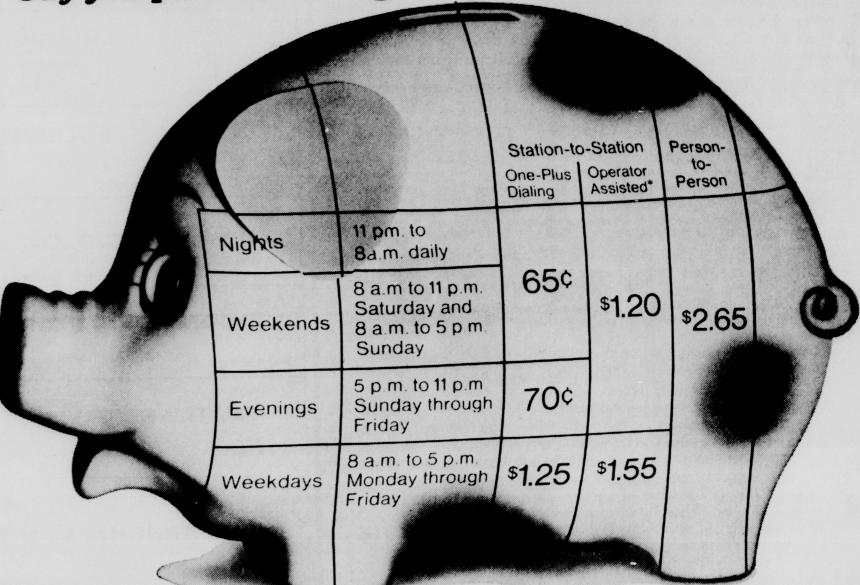
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FROM THE FILES . . .

FIFTY YEARS AGO (April 11, 1924)

Those of you who enjoy a tent show are having a treat this week while the Brunk's Players are in our city. The Original Brunk's are entertaining this week and making a hit in every performance. This show will be here through Saturday night, giving two shows the last day, Saturday afternoon and night.

The Herald announced a benefit baseball game between the Hamlin Fats and the Hamlin Leans for Tuesday of this week. It was played in the usual fancy manner. Those who played got their money's worth and at the same time helped the good ladies of the Cemetery Association. The handsome sum of \$96.90 was taken in. Clipping off a bit of this for expenses, the net proceeds were altogether flattering. The two cemeteries of Hamlin are looking much better since the ladies have taken charge of them. There is a lot of improving to be done yet and the members of the Association will keep up their efforts until the cemeteries are in first class shape.

Sweetwater business men, filling 100 automobiles and accompanied by a good brass band, will make Fisher County on Tuesday, Apr. 15 of next week. As Hamlin is about onehalf of Fisher County, they will include this good old town and arrive here at 2 p.m., according to their schedule.

TWENTY YEARS AGO (April 16, 1954)

A total of \$6,954 was contributed by Jones County people to the 1954 March of Dimes, according to final tabulations made this week. Of this \$6,954 for the county, Hamlin and surrounding communities contributed \$1,596.44.

Children of the Hamlin community up to and including those of the third grade at the elementary school will be treated to a mammoth Easter egg hunt Saturday afternoon at the Hamlin City Park. Sponsor of the project and furnishing the candy Easter eggs for the hunt, is the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce.

Hamlin Elementary School Band under the direction of Walter P. Chalcraft was rated in first division in the annual Area III elementary music meet contests conducted at Hamlin Saturday. The chorus, under the direction of Mrs. Vera Jayroe, and the vocal ensembles were rated in second division.

Two hundred feet of new fire hose was received by the Hamlin Volunteer Fire Department this week, according to the fire chief. and election day.

Of course you would.

know your job inside and out.

That's what everybody says.

and even the government we pay for.

And help make your dollar worth more.

first day on the job.

Would you hire you?

The new shipment included 150 feet of two and one-half inch hose and 50 feet of one and one-half inch hose. The new hose brought the total hose now useable by the department in fire fighting to 2,500 feet, which is the minimum required by law.

The Farmers & Merchants National Bank is celebrating 20 years of growth in Hamlin since it became the sole banking institution of the community, declares Tate May, president of the bank.

TEN YEARS AGO

(April 16, 1964)

The Hamlin Piperettes will represent District 6-AA at the Regional Volleyball Tournament in Lubbock Apr. 25 after winning the district title in Stamford last Thursday. In semi-final play against Anson the scores for the three games were 15-4, 1-13 and 15-12. In the final against Winters the scores were 6-12, 15-4 and 15-12.

Twenty persons from Hamlin attended the 51st semi-annual convention of the Mid-West Texas Fireman's Association held in Albany Thursday. Sixteen area towns make up the association. In the races from other towns, Hamlin won first in the six-man hose hookup, third in the two-man race; and fourth in pumper races. They received \$28 in prize money and a trophy.

CHURCH

An open house from 3 to 4:30 p.m. Sunday afternoon at the recently completed Boy Scout Hut will be highlighted by a court of honor in which three boys from the local troup will receive Eagle Awards, the highest award a boy can achieve in Scouting. An Indian dance team from Haskell will give a performance and the public is invited to attend.

The annual flower show sponsored by the Hamlin Flower Club will be open to the public from 3 to 6 p.m. Saturday in the high school gymnasium. The theme for the show is Parade of Flowers and the public is invited to attend.

NEWS AND VIEWS. . .

And What Have You

Continued from page 1

on the Abilene School Board should give him an insight into the problems and needs of the local school districts.

We will probably look at some more Primary races between now

Would you hire you?

You work hard. Care about what you do. And you

And for most of us, it's true. But it's also true that we

lathe operators or telephone operators, legislators or long-

More money, for one thing. Because we'll be giving

each other our money's worth for the products, the services

For another thing, we'll be giving America better

Best of all, as we hit our stride, we'll be protecting jobs

here at home. For ourselves and the future. And we'll have

a deeper sense of pride in the jobs we've got. So maybe

we'll find our work as fresh and challenging as it was the

Which brings us back to the original question.

America, it only works as well as we do.

ammunition to slug it out with our foreign competitors.

Not just here. All around the world. That would help bring the lopsided balance of payments back onto our side.

could all do better. Whether we're doctors or teachers,

shoremen, bankers or union officials...every one of us.

And we'll all have more to show for it.

LETTER PERFECT SATISFIED . . . because of a job well done. The last check . . . reveals a well organized. carefully typed letter, and now she is ready to present it to her boss for his inspection and signature. Each of us needs to periodically check our lives, making sure that all is in order and would stand an inspection by the Lord. Are we letter perfect? Would He be satisfied with us? It is true that none of us are perfect. but if we study God's word and strive to follow God's will, He will be satisfied with us. ATTEND

The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God. Coleman Adv. Serv.



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Midweek Service BAPTIST MEXICAN MISSION **Herman Martinez** Stamford Highway Sunday School 10:40 a.m Worship Service

Training Union 6:00 p.m. WEDNESDAY Prayer Service 7:00 p.m CALVARY MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Walter Hickman N. W. Avenue G. at 5th SUNDAY

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WEDNESDAY 7:30 p.m.

Song, Prayer Service 7:30 p.m CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. C. G. Grigg SUNDAY Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Service 7:00 p.m. CHURCH OF CHRIST David E. Giddings, minister Lake Drive at Ave. A. SUNDAY

6:00 p.m.

Church Training

9:45 a.m. Bible Class Morning Worship 10:45 p.m. Evening Worship WEDNESDAY 6:00 p.m. Midweek service CHURCH of the NAZARENE

Rev. Marshall Stewart S. W. 1st at Avenue C SUNDAY Sunday School 9:45 a.m. 10:45 a.m.

Morning Worship N.Y.P.S. 5:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. **Evening Worship**

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Howard Adams, Minister 10:00 a.m. **Bible Class** 11:00 a.m. **Morning Worship Evening Worship** 6:00 p.m. WEDNESDAY **Bible Class** FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Howard J. Jones 9:30 a.m. Sunday School

10:40 a.m. Morning Worship Training Union 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship WEDNESDAY 7:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m First United Methodist Church

Rev. Johnnie Williams 48 S. W. Ave. A SUNDAY 9:45 a.m. Sunday School Morning Worship 10:50 a.m. 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship WEDNESDAY 7:00 p.m.

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SUNDAY 9:00 a.m. Mass Services 7:30 p.m.

McCAULLEY BAPTIST Rev. R. M. Babb Sunday School Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship WEDNESDAY 7:30 p.m. **Prayer Service** McCAULLEY METHODIST

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Rev. Frank Codington, pastor 10:00 a.m. Sunday School 11:00 a.m.

Evening Service 6:30 p.m. OAK GROVE BAPTIST Rev. Leo F. Scott Northeast Ave. H. Sunday School

10:50 a.m. Morning Worship 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:30 p
PRIMITIVE BAPTIST 7:30 p.m. CHURCH

600 Block N. E. Ave. A. Elder Valery Henderson of Paducah, Pastor Meets second Sunday and preceding Saturday night each month SUNSET BAPTIST CHURCH

Robert H. Green, pastor N. W. Ave. C. at 6th SUNDAY **Sunday School**

11:00 a.m. Morning Worship 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.

Evening Worship 7 WEDNESDAY **Prayer Service** 7:30 p.m.

SYLVESTER BAPTIST
CHURCH
Rev. Milton Jennings
SUNDAY

Sunday School Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6 WEDNESDAY

Prayer Meeting 8:00 p.m UNITED PENTECOSTAL 219 N. E. Ave. B.

Rev. Jimmy Skiles Sunday School Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evangelistic Service 6:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY **Bible Study** 7:30 p.m.

FRIDAY Youth Service

7:30 p.m.

GENE AND BOBBIE MOORE ... to direct music in revival

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interference to make his own sound decisions.

will buy. . .and what they will pay.

insurance and the way to bring the cost down is to

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my customers, just as I know when you choose me as

your representative, I must stay in touch with the

Does Your Dollar Have to Buy Less & Less As You

responsibility...we learn to work with people...to

maintain records and to handle positions of trust.

First Methodist Church **Revival Opens Sunday**

The Rev. Leo K. Gee, pastor of Saint Paul United Methodist Churcn, will be the evangelist for the Apr. 21-25 revival at First United Methodist Church.

The music will be under the direction of Gene and Bobbie Moore of Anson, former Hamlin residents. He is an ordained minister and his wife is an accomplished

Morning services will begin with a breakfast each morning at 7 a.m. Evening services will be at 7:30.

The Rev. Johnnie Williams, pastor, said that Rev. Gee is considered one of the outstanding ministers of the United Methodist Church in the Northwest Texas area.

The Rev. Gee, was born in Granbury and is a graduate of Texas Wesleyan College in

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REV. LEO GEE ... evangelist

Fort Worth and Southern Methodist University in Dallas. He served as pastor of St. Luke's United Methodist Church in Lubbock 10 years, First Methodist in Big Spring seven years and has been at Amarillo two years.

He is a member of the Wesley Foundation Board at West Texas University, a member of the Sears Memorial Retirement Center Board, and on the Board of Trustees of TWC.

He has conducted more than 100 preaching missions over the world. He and his wife, Barbara, have four daughters, Amy, Rita, Kelly and Ginger.

The Moores have reached thousands around the world in their messages in word and music. In 1968 they sang in Indonesia.

Rev. Williams said, "The Moores feel that they don't have to be old fashioned to be Christians. The songs of Bobbie and Gene are loved and appreciated by people of all ages. Teenagers find a message they are seeking in their music; older people's faith is strengthened as they listen to the familiar songs.'

The public is invited.

Secretaries Seminar Set In Abilene

Yes

No

Dr. William R. Pasewark of Texas Tech University will be the speaker at the National Secretaries Assn. seminar to be held Apr. 20 at Abilene Christian College in the main room of McGlothlin Campus

Center. Dr. Pasewark was chosen Texas Business Education teacher of the Year for 1973. He will speak on "How to decrease the time, effort and material in office work in order to increase profits."

The session is for all interested secretaries, students, bosses, teachers and administrators. Advance reservations are to be made with Mrs. Howard Cagle, ACC Station, Box 8036, Abilene, 79601. Advance registration is \$5 per person and \$3 for students. The cost will be \$7 per person the day of the seminar. The reservation fee includes a noon lunch in the Carter Cafeteria on campus.

Mrs. Melvin (Joyce) Scott is NSA treasurer of the Abilene Chapter, will give her report at 9:15 a.m.

NAMED TO LIST OF DISTINGUISHED STUDENTS AT TSU

John V. Howard III, freshman wildlife major at Tarleton State University. has been named to the Distinguished Student List for the fall semester, 1973.

In order to be named to the list, a student must post a 3.25 grade point ratio on Tarleton's 4.0 system with no grade lower than a C.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John V. Howard Jr.

Singing Here

The Third Sunday Singing will be held at 2 p.m. at Calvary Baptist Church, according to Mrs. Bessie King, secretary of the singing organization.

Singers are expected from Sweetwater, Abilene and Roscoe. Several quartets will be attending.

NEWS FROM OLD GLORY

By BERNICE D. WHITE

Sometime last week in between the sandstorms we received an inch of rain, a little more and a little less in different spots throughout the community. Anyway for this rain we are very thankful. It did freshen up the air for a few hours and gave a boost to the wheat that is now in the process of heading out.

Speaking of sandstorms, some of us remember the story back in the dust storm days about the fellow who saw the prairie dogs up three feet in the air still scratching trying to get out. Well, we were up at Lubbock a couple of weeks ago, happened to pass by Prairie Dog town at Mackenzie Park, and I do believe they are at it again.

Old Glory girls won fourth place in the track meet at Knox City last week and Beverly Neumann won first place in the 220 yd. dash. The 440 yd. relay consisted of Lisa Bookman, Carmella and Celinda Vahlenkamp, and Beverly Neumann. Lynette Meier won 4th in shot put; Lisa Bookman 3rd in triple jump, Susan Baldree 7th in shot put. There were 20 contestants in the shot put

In girls grade school competition, Marcene Baldree, 2nd in 220 yd. dash; 440 relay team, Jami Pierce, Linda Harris, Rhonda Hunter, and Marcene Baldree, 2nd place; 880 relay team, Linda Harris, Gail Bryant, Martha McKee and Rhonda Hunter also won 2nd

In the boys track meet at Jayton, 440 yd. relay, Hank Bryant, Freddie Barrera, Isaac Castro, Douglas Vahlenkamp, 5th place, 880 dash Isaac Castro, 7th; in mile run-Freddie Barrera; Terry Hunter, 4th in 440; he also competed in 100 yd. dash, shot put, high jump and 880. David McKee in 880 dash and 880 relay; Berry Alvis 880 relay and broad jump; Chris Vargas in 880 relay.

The Old Glory Variety Club met in the home of Mrs. Ed Letz on Tuesday of last week. Eight members and two visitors were present. Visitors were the Letz's daughter, Regina, and Mrs. Tony Letz.

Mrs. Allen brought two quilt tops for her sister, Mrs. Pete Elliott of Arlington, for the club to examine and make a price for quilting. After the business meeting the group played 84.

Mrs. Lisbon Letz will host the next meeting Tuesday,

Those from here who were in Odessa Saturday, Apr. 6th, to attend the wedding of Stephanie Letz and John Zugg, included her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Letz, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Letz. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Letz

and boys of Abilene were here Easter Sunday visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Spitzer and Mr. and Mrs. John Letz.

Richard Johnson of Ft Stockton was here last Friday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Johnson.

On Thursday of last week, Mr. and Mrs. Beno Herttenberger and Mrs. Katie Gerloff went to Hamlin to see their sister, Mrs. Louise Spradlin, who was there visiting with her daughter and family, the Byron Swanks.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Garner and Lisa of Iraan spent the weekend here visiting with the A. R. Sawyers and Morris Garners and also other relatives and friends. They also attended the Easter Picnic at the Dugan place.

Others reported by Mrs. Morris Garner who were visitors in their home or were here to attend church and the THURSDAY, APRIL 18, 1974, PAGE 5

Easter picnic included: Mr. and Mrs. Loy Zane Garner, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jana and Julie of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. John Duncan of Rule: Ken Gardner of Swenson; Brenda Trammell of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Lanis Worley of Knox City; also Stanley McBroom, Johnny Garner, Gay Savage and Nona Neal, all students at ACC in Abilene.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Katie Gerloff Easter Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. Emil Herttenberger of Paducah, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Swank of Hamlin, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gerfoff of Abilene.

and Byron Swanks also subject will be "Worrying."

Beno Herttenberger. Other visitors in the Herttenberger home and those who came to attend the Easter Pienic included: Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Herttenberger, Cris, Beth and Matthew of Irving; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Herttenberger of Asperment; Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Herttenberger and Lane of Rule; Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neal of Hamlin; and also Jack Simmons and Andy Maller students at ACC in Abilene.

Mrs. Herttenberger informs us that Jack Simmons, their grandson, will be preaching here at the Church The Emil Herttenbergers of Christ next Sunday. His

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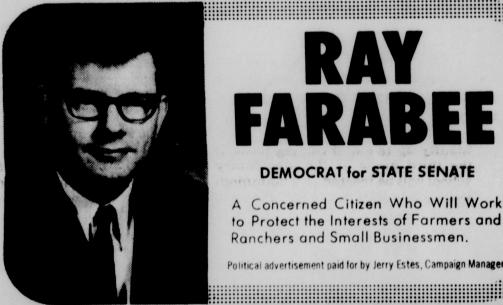
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CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank each and every one for being so very nice while we were trying to repair our home after it burned. We especially appreciate the clothes and the food. We are now about to get settled in our home again. The people of Hamlin and the community that shared their feeling with us mean so much to us. We wish that we could put it in words how we feel about them. May God Bless all of you.

Yours truly, The Bill Cork Family

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GARAGE SALE-128 S. W. 4th. Coffee table, clean clothes, miscellaneous. Thursday and Friday until 4.

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FOR SALE-Small house at 437 N. W. Ave. C. 576-3859.

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Political Calendar

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A hearing will be held on the

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If no written notice of in-

tention to appear in person or

by attorney to protest said

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W.L. (Poochey) Mc-DONALD (Re-election) For Jones County School

Superintendent: HOMER J. MERRIOTT J. D. HARGROVE For Jones County Clerk: **ROY THORN**

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advertising is like winking at District: MARY KIRCHHOFF

> (The above political announcements were paid for by the candidates listed.)

Meter Connects Area Reserve Seeking New Members Here

Army Reservists in the Hamlin area are taking an active part in operation "Over The Top," a concentrated drive throughout the 13-state Fifth Army area to bring new members into the Army Reserve.

They are members of Abilene's 490th Civil Affairs Co., one of the top Army Reserve units in the nation for the past six years in a row.

Both male and female members are being sought for various military positions, including office and secretarial jobs. Only two weeks of active duty is required for some women with special typing skills.

The 490th has immediate openings for several men and women who, while learning the skills required, may earn \$48.42 to \$55.28 for four fourhour drills (usually a Saturday and Sunday) each month, according to Lt. Col. Harold Pittard, 490th commander.

During April, local Reservists will be speaking to high school students in the Hamlin area and will be available to answer any questions regarding Reserve activities and pay.

Further information is available from these area members of the 490th: Spec. 4 Jerry L. Smith, Stamford, 773-3567, or Spec. 5 Charles Chapman, Haskell, 864-2434.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sublett of Abilene were Easter guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Cunningham.

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SIGN WITH HOWARD PAYNE—Albert and Alfred McAfee sign preenrollment forms with Howard Payne College as their coach, David Bonds, and their mother, Mrs. Jimmie Lane, look on. Both boys played offense and defense on the Bi-District Championship Piper football team. Albert, left, lettered four years in football and track and three years in basketball while his twin brother, Alfred lettered three years in track and two years in both football and basketball. Both boys were named to All-District and All-Area honors in football.

NEWS FROM Sylvester

By MRS. R. M. BABB

We finally got .90 in. of rain the other night with a lot of sand and high wind.

Did you have a nice Easter? Did you go visiting and did you attend Church where ever you were. Surely hope so.

Recently Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Brown attended the wedding of Vela Alexander of Roscoe. She was the former Postmaster there.

The R. M. Babbs attended the Homecoming at the Justiceberg Batpist Church where he was ordained.

Visiting in the Ross Douglass home the past few days but at different times were, Pam and Jill Douglass of Merkel. Then this past weekend, Dusty, Darrel and DeJon Douglass of Big Spring visited in the Douglass home.

By the way did you by any chance see the Cadillac commercial on KTXS Thursday night about 9:30? Micki Douglass Wright was the young lady in the commercial.

The Prathers of Sweetwater visited in the W. B.

the Nursery Sunday School class had their Easter Egg Hunt at the Brown home. Guy Mauldin is in Stamford

hospital for tests and X-rays. The Wesley Maberry family drove out for Easter and will spend several days

before returning to Irving. I made a mistake last week, I said the Purvis family was from Irving, they are from Euless.

returned to Monahans for notes that at least one out of The J. P. Maberry family

had some 44 people as guests for Sunday dinner, the J. C. Holden family from Midland, Bill Holden family from Odessa, W. D. Holden and family of Abilene, Richard Holden and family, also Gladys Holden of Hamlin, James Davis and family of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Boone of Stamford, Terry Buck and family of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Buck of Roby, Richard Kelly and family, Alton Clem and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Will Kelly all of Sylvester.

Cancer Drive Nets \$1,400

Contributions made to the local Cancer Crusade reached \$1,418.72 Monday morning, according to the Hamlin chairman, Mrs. Robert Fowler.

Collections are still to be Brown home Sunday afturned in. Several streets have not been worked, she ternoon. Saturday afternoon

> April has been designated as Cancer Control Month and emphasis is being placed on early detection, diagnosis and treatment and support of the research programs of the dreaded disease.

The American Cancer Society projects that more than 50 million Americans now living will be striken with cancer if present rates Mr. Buster Lambert has prevail. The Society also could be saved if more people saw their physicians for early detection and treat-

Rainfall

Much needed rain was received here early Thursday morning.

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Therefore, because time is of the essence, and the volume of merchandise is so large, we have engaged Mr. Tommy Godwin, the leading merchandise auctioneer in the Southwest, to liquidate our complete inventory by selling it at auction, piece by piece, to the highest bidder. No furniture items will be held back - regardless of price. Kinney's stocks much merchandise other than furniture, and the following will not be auctioned off: tires, Radio Shack merchandise, small gift items.

For Inspection Only April 21 From 1:00 to 5:30 P. M.

A Request Auction

Each and every item must be sold over the block, but requested items will be sold first. Come in during open house and browse through the huge stock. If you see an item you would like to be auctioned off early put a request card [available in the store] on it. However, this does not obligate you in any way. All merchandise will be sold from an elevated stage with seats for everyone.

Open for Inspection

All furniture will be on display in our main store, We will hold an open house for your inspection of this quality merchandise on Sunday, from 1:00 to 5:30 p.m. and Monday from 10:00 a.m. until auction time [7:30 p.m.]. Positively no sales will be made during open house. Auction will continue each night until every item is sold. Store will be open each day from 10:00 a.m. for inspection and pick up.

Pick Up and Delivery

All purchases are F.O.B. our store. We will have personnel to help you pack and load the merchandise carefully. Pick up must be made during the week of the auction. We can deliver your purchases at extra charge, but we cannot promise a definite delivery date. We strongly advise you to bring your pick up or trailer. Store hours during the sale will be from 10:00 a.m. until auction time [7:30 p.m.] each day until all merchandise is sold.

CREDIT

We have made special arrangements through HCC for financing your purchases at this auction. They will have a representative on hand to assist you. Please come in during the day to make your own personal and confidential arrangements direct with the finance company. Otherwise, all purchases must be paid for each evening. Personal checks will be accepted with proper identification.

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Lane Issues Statement In County Judge Race

To The Citizens and Voters of Jones County:

In asking you, the citizens of Jones County, to consider my Candidacy for the Office of County Judge, I do so with full knowledge of the great responsibility that will be mine, if elected to this very important office.

After many months of careful thought, I decided to ask you to elect me your County Judge, thinking that it would not only be an honor to serve in this capacity, but would be a challenge, a challenge that I believe I am qualified to meet, and I certainly would not ask you to elect me to this responsible position if I did not feel that I was qualified to make you the kind of County Judge that you are entitled to have.

Having been a stock-

Moore Is Ag Club **President**

Robert Moore was elected president of the newly formed Hamlin Ag Club at the Apr. 9 meeting. The hamburger cook-out was attended by 27 persons.

Other officers elected include Larry McCoy, vice president; Davis Weaver, secretary; Bill Hodnett, treasurer; and Mac Reid, reporter.

The next meeting will be held May 6 when Herman A. Propst of Anson will speak on his recent trip to the Orient. The trip was sponsored by Elanco Products Co. and the National Cotton Council

Mrs. Toler **Elected At** Perryton

Mrs. Holly Pardue Toler of Perryton was elected Council woman in Saturday's election.

Mrs. Toler and her husband, commodity broker for Whearheart and Co., and their daughter, Emily, 8, have lived in Perryton for 18 months

She is an active member of First United Methodist Church, and works with 4-H Club and Girl Scouts.

Mrs. Toler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Grant, live in Abilene where he is the postmaster. Mr. Toler's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Holly Toler of Hamlin.

Seventh Grade Girls Win In Volleyball

The Hamlin seventh grade won their division and the eighth grade placed second at the district junior high girls volleyball tournament held here Tuesday afternoon.

Teams competing were Albany, Anson, Stamford and Rotan. Haskell forfeited.

The Hamlin seventh grade scores were 15-8 and 15-6. Eighth grade scores were 4-15 and 6-9.

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HAMLIN

farmer and businessman, I feel that I have a knowledge of some of the problems that they have. I am aware of many problems that confront our senior citizens, problems and temptations that face our youth daily, problems that our schools are plagued with, problems that have our Law enforcing Officers handcuffed when it comes to dealing with violators and criminals today, and having had four boys in the armed service of our Country, I know some of the problems that these boys face upon their return home.

I was privileged to work two years as a Deputy in the Tax Assessor-Collectors' Office at Eastland, Texas, prior to my election as Clerk of the 91st. District Court in 1944, and feel that while serving in this capacity that I gained a lot of knowledge in regard to County business and County government, and while working in this important Office, I tried to make a thorough study of the needs and the solutions thereto of the County and its Citizens

In 1944 I was elected Clerk of the 91st District Court at Eastland out of a field of six Candidates, a position I was privileged to serve in for 26 years before resigning to become manager of Furr's Handy Hut Grocery in Levelland, Texas.

During these 26 years as Clerk of said Court, I burnt a lot of midnight oil studying the rules of both Civil and Criminal Procedure and the Statues pertaining thereto. I was privileged to serve with many of the States' leading District Judges, including Jones Countys' own George L. Davenport, and many of the States' leading Attorneys. I believe my daily attendance in the Court room, hearing the Attorneys present both sides of all kinds of cases including Juvenile, Civil, Tax and Criminal, and hearing them discuss the law as it pertained to each case with the Court, and hearing the Judges' comment on same, should be a great help to me Angie and Nikki. in serving in this important

believe that knowledge of the law and of our County Government, will enable me to make you the kind of County Judge that you are entitled to have, and I am seeking this high position on my qualifications and my desire to work with, and serve all the people of Jones County.

I think we should utilize every opportunity that we have to promote better education and vocational training for our youth.

I believe we should take an active part in Legislation that will not only be beneficial to our County as a whole, but will be beneficial to those who follow in our steps in years to come.

must work for Legislation that will help take the Hand-Cuffs off of our Law enforcement officers and make it easier to bring offenders to trial.

We must strive to have cooperation and teamwork with all organizations to secure new industry for our County and to promote better farm and ranch programs.

There are many other things that I would like to discuss with you, but space will not permit, and I am sure you have all heard it said Expect Nothing from Him Who Promises a Great Deal," but you may be assured; that I shall ever be mindfull of the fact that the County Judges' Office belongs to you, the Citizens of Jones County, that I will be your hired hand with a job to do, and that I will not sacrifice principle to appease any individual in performing my duties in accordance with the Rules of Civil and Criminal Procedure and the laws of our State.

I earnestly solicit your help and support in this campaign and promise to give ecomomical, efficent and courteous service in return for the confidence you will be placing in me by electing me your County Judge on May 4,

Respectfully submitted, Roy L. Lane

Philosopher Throws Cold Water On Big City Garden-Growing Movement

of Arlington.

city dwellers don't have any

Editor's note: The Neinda Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Route One discusses gardening this week, more or less

Everybody these days is trying to beat the high cost of living especially by, if he's in a position to do it, raising the price of what he has to sell and hollering to high heaven over the price of what he has

Since groceries are high on most people's budget, if you count cosmetics, hose, cigarettes, lawn fertilizer and other such staples, there is a widespread rush over the country to plant a garden this

LETTER TO EDITOR

Expresses Thanks

The following letter of appreciation was recieved this week:

I would like to express my deep appreciation for each one who rode in the Hike-Bike for the Retarded and for each person that sponsored a hike-

It was through the efforts of all of you that the event was a success

Thanks also to Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Willoughby and the FHA girls for sponsoring the Hike-Bike.

Sincerely, Mrs. C. L. Howard Hike-Bike chairman

David Tyler, son of Mrs. Melvina Marie Hernandez, has been transferred from Great Lakes Naval Base to Norfolk, Va., where he is assigned to duty on USS Newport News.

Mr. and Mrs. George Huling and family of Garland and Mrs. Tommy Richey and son of Hobbs, N. M., visited with their mother, Mrs. Ray Huling over the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Corky Taylor. Stacy and Steve, visited with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry McCoy,

Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Williams of Buena Vista, Calif., visited here last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Williams, and her grandmother, Mrs. P. A.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fowler Sunday were her sister, Mrs. Doris Morrison of Abilene, and her brother-in-law and niece. Russell Glenn and Candy of Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Duncan's guests were their daughter and a son and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Roberson and Waylon of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Joey Duncan of Lubbock.

A Reminder For Women You don't have to announce the fact, but if you are over 40, the American Cancer Society hopes that you will see your physician if you notice any unusual bleeding or discharge. It need not be cancer but it should be checked out.

What's Possible Now The American Cancer Society reports that we could save more lives from cancer with the knowledge we have now if everyone learned cancer's Warning Signals and had a periodic health checkup including cancer tests. How about you?

A Question "If you don't know cancer's Warning Signals, how do you know you haven't got one?" asks the American Cancer Society. Ask the ACS for a leaflet to learn those signals-it may save your

Thank You Dr. Pap! Dr. George Papanicolaou a Greek-American medical scientist who discovered a fast, painless test that can find cervical cancer early when it is most curable-the famous Pap test. The American Cancer Society reminds women to 601 17th. St. Anson, Texas have a Pap test regularly.

Recognizing this, and last night, has come up with a recognizing that a lot of big plan. He has leased a large

tract of land just outside the city and is in turn sub-leasing ground for a garden, some small garden plots in it to city smart guy, I read in the paper people trying to beat the high cost of food. Each plot leases for \$160 a year and he tells his Mr. and Mrs. Eugene prospects it's possible to Eaton of Arlington visited grow \$1,500 worth of with their mothers, Mrs. L. A. Eaton and Mrs. W. B. Elkins,

vegetables on it. over the weekend. Other Now I don't want to discourage this, it would do a guests included a grandlot of city people good to get daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Borden out in the country and find out what fresh air tastes like, but

I'd advise them not to bank on growing \$1,500 worth of food.

A garden looks splendid in a seed catalog but it's hard to duplicate it on the ground. It's like a movie actress. She looks better on the screen

Relatives visiting in the home of Mayme Deel over the Easter weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Renfro and Jerry of Abilene, Mrs. G. C. Stevens and children, and V. C. Vanmeter and Robert of Corpus Christi.

than she does in broad daylight.

Enthusiasm when you first step onto your garden plot mounts steadily until you've finished breaking the first few square feet and your back is killing you. If you get it all spaded or plowed (you can get a garden tractor for \$400 or \$500) and planted there is another time of exhilaration when the plants first come up, dampened a little when you find out that for every vegetable there are

14 weeds. After you get it weeded you'll find there are more insects on this planet, Horatio, than man has dreampt of.

I could go on but I don't want to discourage the gardening movement. You can grow one if you work hard enough at it, but that's true, alas, of nearly any job. In the meantime, don't alienate your friendly groceryman.

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HAMLIN HERALD



EN'S BIBLE CLASS—Members of the Men's Bible Class of First aptist Church taught by the pastor, the Rev. Howard Jones, right, filled new classroom Easter Sunday morning, the first day for Sunday gool classes to meet in the new educational building addition. The new ucture has classrooms for four departments, Fellowship Hall, parlor, ide's room and kitchen.



YOUNG ADULTS CLASS-Members of the Young Adult S.S. Class are shown in the parlor of the new educational addition to First Baptist Church. The class had a high percentage of visitors on Easter Sunday and the room was filled to capacity the first day to be used. Not all those present are shown in picture. Also not pictured are C. L. White, teacher, and Mrs. Howard Jones, department director.

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Horse Vaccination Time Here Again, Says Agent

the appearance of the mosquito and its threat as a disease carrier, especially as far as horse sleeping sickness to protect their animals, urges Kirby Clayton, county agent for the Texas

cinated for the three types of equine encephalomyelitis (Horse sleeping sickness)-Eastern, Western and Venezuelan. The Venezuelan strain (VEE) caused the

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is concerned. So, all horse Western strains of the disease uld take steps now and annual booster shots

initail vaccination. separate vaccine must be Agricultural Extension administered to protect animals for VEE. The vac-All horses, mules, asses cine provides protection for and ponies should be vac- about 18 months. Colts vaccinated last year while under six months of age should be revaccinated. points out Clayton.

Vaccines are available through veterinarians and should be administered only by them, notes Clayton.

Commission requires that all horses moving to shows or out-of-state be vaccinated for

lack of appetite and

Although there have been no horse deaths from VEE in the past two years in the U.S., a number of animals were lost last year to the Eastern and Western strains of the

So, plan to vaccinate your horses as soon as possible to give the protection they need, advises Clayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Flores of Merkel are parents of a boy, Chris Lawrence, 6 lbs. 7 oz., born Apr. 6 at 6:34

Warmer weather means deaths of thousands of horses in Texas abd Mexico when it first appeared in 1971.

A combined vaccine is available for the Eastern and should be given after the

The Texas Animal Health

Symptoms of the three diseases include depression, drowsiness. Animals may frequently grind their teeth and and stagger when moving. They may also lunge uncontrollably and assume a "sawhorse" stance.

disease in some 25 states.

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First Baptist Church Uses New **Educational Building Here Sunday**

Seven Sunday School classes of First Baptist Church that had been meeting in the old sanctuary building met for the first time in the new educational building addition Sunday

The new facility, completed includes week, classrooms for an enrollment of 263. The Young Adult class meets in the parlor. Other classrooms include Youth III. the Men's class taught by the pastor, and four women's classes, Naomi, Friends, Homemakers and Mary Martha.

The new building also includes a Fellowship Hall, fully-equipped kitchen, and

TEACHER OF YEAR-

Mrs. Warren Sharp was

named Teacher of the Year at

the annual Teacher Ap-

preciation Banquet Tuesday

evening sponsored by the Hamlin High School Student

Mrs. Sharp was presented

This is the first year for the

award to be presented.

Selection for the award is

made by balloting of the high

school student body. Basis for

the selection is taken in two

categories, classroom and

personality. In classroom,

consideration is taken on

Junior High

Takes Second

At Track Meet

The local eighth grade

track team finished second in

the district meet held

Tuesday, Apr. 9, in Anson.

The team won both relays

and picked up first place in

The 440 and 880-yd relay

teams went through the

season undefeated, winning

in three meets. Running on

the 440 relay were Brett

McCracken, Mike Hymer,

Jimmy Gipson and Mack

Lee. On the 880 relay were

McCracken, Gipson,

Hamlin eighth grade

220 Dash-6th Jimmy

60 yd Hurdles-1st Mike

100 Dash-1st Mack Lee,

100 Hurdles-2nd Mike Hymer, 13.1; 5th Tommy

Broad Jump-3rd Jimmy

High Jump-2nd Jimmy

220 Dash-5th Mario

440 Dash-2nd John

60 Hurdles-6th Randall

100 Dash-4th Brown, 12.2.

50 Dash-3rd John Barerra,

440 Relay-4th 55.1 (Carter,

Brown, Barerra and Lane.) 880 Relay-3rd 1:57.9,

Carter, Ribera, Quintanilla

High Jump-1st Ronald

Long Jump-2nd Brown,

Pole Vault-3rd (tie)

Discus-4th Vance Lakey,

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Little

had their daughter and

family, Mr. and Mrs. James

Hammack and Rae Nan of

Richardson, as guests during the Easter holidays. Satur-

day evening they were joined by Mrs. Little's father, J. H. Rial of Avoca, and Mrs.

Bertha Bosse of Stamford.

Waylon Collins, 7'6".

Brown, 4'10"; 3rd Shane Hinkle, 4'6"; 4th Mark

6.5; 5th Eddie Ribera, 6.7.

Seventh Grade results:

Gipson, 17'5"; 5th Mack Lee,

10.5; 2nd Drew Tomlinson,

Hymer, 8.8; 5th Tommy

Tomlinson and Lee.

440 Relay-1st, 50.5.

880 Relay-1st, 1:46.1.

results:

Gipson, 28.0.

Maberry, 9.6.

Maberry, 13.5.

Tomlinson, 6.0.

Gipson, 5'4".

Quintanilla, 29.3.

Barerra, 64.3.

Lewis, 10.3.

and Brown.

Carter, 4'4".

50 Dash-1st

three other events.

the award by the Student Council president, Frank

Council.

Shearer.

Mrs. Sharp Honored

By Student Council

The Meek property east of the complex was purchased by the church and work is underway to sell the garage and house to be moved to provide additional parking

At a called business meeting Sunday evening, Edgar Duncan and Noel Weaver were appointed to make arrangements for the sale of all unneeded equipment in the old building. They are to be contacted by anyone who would like to buy any of the furniture or equipment that will not be used.

Joe Hudspeth is serving as general chairman of the building program. Members of the building committee

discipline, knowledge of

subject matter and how well

the subject matter is

presented. Included in per-

sonality, is extra curricular

students and willingness to

here. She was a Junior Class

sponsor two years and is in

her second year as Senior

She and her husband

moved here from Nocona. He

is employed by Continental

Oil Company. They have two

children, a son, David, a student at the University of

Texas at Austin, and a

daughter, Mrs. Mikel Tubbs

After the dinner served by

the Student Council mem-

bers, the teachers and their

Primary School.

guests played Bingo.

counsel and help students.

A. Hewett, B. V. Newberry, Robert Moore, John H. Steele and Joe E. Ford.

Working on the building finance committee are J. C. Turner, chairman; Mrs. Fred B. Moore Jr., J. E. McCoy, Noel Weaver, Robert Hawes, Edgar Duncan, Weldon Johnson, O. H. Weaver Jr., Ernest Jenkins, Leldon Clifton, Cecil Sellers and Charles Evans.

Arrangements will be made for a dedication service in the future, according to the pastor, the Rev. Howard Jones, and the musiceducation director, Lynn

The old sanctuary building, which was built in 1928, will be torn down later.

The church complex now includes the educational building that was built in 1957, the sanctuary and chapel, completed in 1962, and the new facility. The twostory educational building includes six departments and 22 classrooms are housed in the two-story educational building.

Set Sunday Response to the mailing of include C. L. White, chairman: Mrs. C. L. Howard, E.

cards announcing the 23rd annual Neinda Reunion has been good, according to John R. Brown Sr., chairman of this year's event.

Neinda

Reunion

A good number of former residents are expected, he

The event opens Sunday at 11 a.m. at the Neinda Community Center.

\$2.35 per plate. Working with Brown are

A totally catered meal will be served at noon. Price is

John Scarborough, J. E. Brown, Irby Weaver, G. W. Drummond, Sam Hodges, Audrey Hodnett and Don Gregory. The main purposes of the

reunion are to visit and enjoy good food and to raise funds for the upkeep of the Neinda

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Cemetery.

Deadline for transfer of students from one school district to another is May 1.

Parents should contact the office of the receiving school district in order to have their children transferred for the 1974-75 school year.

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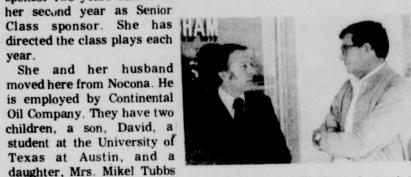
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activites, getting along with District 61 Needs A Strong Voice Mrs. Sharp is in her fourth year of teaching English Like Mike Young In Austin. Why?



of Abilene, who is teaching Billy J. Wilson is telling Mike Young that people in kindergarten in the Hamlin Jones County need strong representation in Austin.

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CONGRESSMEN BURLESON AND O. C. Fisher get together at a Washington airport following World War II.



Ruth DeWeese, (extreme left) is pictured here with a group of friends. The photo dates back to their senior year in high school, or to their first years in college.

(Photo courtesy of C. L. (Fuzz) Stephen



LOOKING OVER BALLOTS for the 1972 election in which Omar was a candidate for re-election, Omar and Ruth get ready to cast their vote at one of the Jones County voting places in the courthouse.

Omar Speaks His Mind

On Streaking---

We get all kinds of mail-happy mail, sad mail, glad mail, and some mad mail. Now we have one from a parent who wants a Federal law against streaking. Well, of course, there are State and local laws against indecency of all sorts and no need for Federal Marshals of the FBI to be involved.

Seems that some fad is going to be around at some given time. The good news is that they seldom last very long--like the goldfish swallowers, the flagpole sitters and the panty raiders.

A father who was asked what he thought the younger generation was streaking to. After thinking a minute he said, "You know there may be something good in this. His mother and I have decided we do not need to buy the boy the new suit."

On Polls and Surveys.—
Through polls, surveys, estimates, and guesses, we are supposed to learn what everyone across the country is thinking and be able to find out how many cavities there are.

Polls and surveys serve a purpose but doubt they should be taken as absolute or final, Some polls are supposedly taken nationwide but some coming from the cities in the North, East, West or South do not necessarily reflect the opinion of people in the 17th Congressional District of Texas.

On Federal Agencies---

It would make news if somtime it could be reported that a Federal Agency has been abolished. Not so. Another bureau will be created under a bill passed last week by the U.S. House of Representatives. If finally enacted into law, there will be a Consumer Protection Law designed to safeguard all of us (for we are all consumers)

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Cong. Omar Burleson's middle name, which few know, came from an old hound dog.

The 17th District Congressman was christened Omar Truman Burleson.

He explains it this way:

"When I was born, the family had this hound dog named Truman. An older brother loved this dog very much, and he insisted that our Mother and Father name me after his dog."

Father name me after his dog."

Presumably the name honored both the hound dog and the baby.





OMAR AND RUTH stop for a picture with the Capitol dome as an impressive background.

17th Congressional District

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"Omar Burleson Day" Proclaimed In 17th District



OMAR BURLESON, U.S. REPRESENTATIVE FOR THE 17TH DISTRICT OF TEXAS

Burleson Began Political Career In Native Jones County In 1930

It is fitting that an appreciation of the nationally recognized services of a native son of Anson are to be noted in a district - wide tribute to Omar Burleson in the setting which kindled the fires of his ambition at a very early age. In a rare example of a "flowers for the living" salute, his likeness in bronze is to be unveiled at the north entrance of the Jones County Courthouse. It was inside this imposing structure, which held a peculiar fascination for the farm boy from a humble home on Red Mud Creek, later learned his first lessons in law and govern-

ment. Lessons which he utilized in carving out an outstanding career as a United States Congressman.

It was in his native county that he was elected to his first public office, that of county attorney where he served six years. The next step was to county judge where he presided over county and commissioners court two terms before making his first and only unsuccessful bid for a public office. He lost a race for the state senate to John Lee Smith of Throckmorton in 1940.

Six years later he was elected as a member of Congress from this, the 17th District. He took his seat in the first time in 1947 and has survived a half dozen reelection races. Meanwhile the district has grown in area and population to include 33 counties with a total population of 466,432 (1970 census).

Omar Burleson was born March 19, 1906, one of four sons of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Burleson, and grew up under adverse circumstances on the family farm six miles northeast of Anson. His early life was made more difficult because his father was a

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Bronze Statue Unveiling To Highlight Celebration

"Omar Burleson Day," Saturday, April 20, has been proclaimed by county judges in the 33 counties of the 17th Congressional District. The appreciation event, planned and sponsored by the "Friends of Omar Burleson," is to be staged on the main street of downtown Anson, centering around the Jones County Court nouse. The area is to be roped off during the celebration, according to B. J. Gist, general chairman and co-ordinator.

The unveiling of a bronze bust opposite the north entrance of the courthouse will climax the program, which is to include a barbecue, a band concert, an Albany Fandangle Sampler and special music by Gene and Bobbie Moore.

Steering committee chairman Gist has announced that personal invitations have been extended to the President, the Vice-President, Speaker of the U. S. House, both Texas Senators, all members of the Texas delegation in the Congress, the Governor, Lt. Governor and Speaker of the Texas House. Gist said that ne had not yet received replies from the dignitaries invited to the celebration. He said he is hopeful that some of the Washington and Austin officials will be present for the occasion.

The world-travelled Hardin Simmons University Cow-Band will perform throughout the barbecue, starting at five o'clock on the 20th, in addition to a musical production from the Albany Fandangle troupe. Gene and Bobbie Moore of Anson will present vocal patriotic selections during the unveiling ceremonies. The crowd will be led in the pledge of allegience by "Uncle Sam in Action," Lois Dunlap; the invocation will be offered by Dr. John Stevens, president of Abilene Christian College; a welcome to out-of-town guests will be extended by Jones County Judge Leon Thurman, Following the formal unveiling, Congressman Burleson will make a few remarks to conclude the program.

The festivities will begin at 2:30 in the afternoon with a ladies tea, honoring Mrs. Omar Burleson, from 2:30 until 4:30 in the First Methodist Church Parlor at Anson. During the same hours, a coffee honoring Congressman Burleson will be given at the Anson High School Cafeteria for all men, and both events are open to the

According to Mrs. A. J. See Statue, Page 7

County

PROCLAMATION
WHEREAS, we believe a concept of good government is
a well informed, interested and active electorate.
WHEREAS, we believe it is worth noting that at a time
when there is much unrest and dissent in some citizenry
circles, the constituents of the 17th Congressional District
will meet in Anson, Texas on the twentieth day of April,
Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-four to honor the incumbent
Congressman Omar Burleson.
THEREFORE, I Leon Thurman , Judge of Jones
County, Texas, a member of the 17th Texas Congressional
District, do hereby proclaim April 20, 1974 as Omar Burleson
Day in County and invite all citizens to
participate in activities honoring Congressman Burleson for
his years of public service.



MRS, OMAR (RUTH) BURLESON

Schedule

FOR

"Omar Burleson Day"

2:30 P.M. to 4:30 P.M.

Tea and Reception honoring
Mrs. Omar Burleson--Methodist |
Church Parlor
Coffee honoring Congressman

Coffee honoring Congressman Burleson--High School Cafeteria

5:00 P.M.
Hardin-Simmons Cowboy Band
Concert
Barbeque--Texas Trails Chuck
Wagon

6:30 P.M. Program--B.J. Gist, Master of Ceremonies

Star Spangled Banner--Hardin-Simmons/University Cowboy Band Fandangle Sampler

Invocation--Dr. John Stevens Pledge of Allegience--Lois Dunlap, Uncle Sam in Action

Welcome--Leon Thurman
Introduction of Special Guests,
Vocal Selection--Gene and
Bobbie Moore
Introduction of Juan Dell
Unveiling of Bronze

Congressman Omar Burleson

Mr. Burleson's Most Attractive Asset

Ruth DeWeese Burleson was born in Gordon, Georgia. She is the daughter of the late Rev. R. D. DeWeese, a pioneer Baptist preacher, who served in Bronte, San Antonio, Anson and other places in West and South Texas.

The DeWeese family moved to Anson while Ruth was a small girl. She grew up here and attended Anson Public Schools. Later she attended Baylor College. She taught school for a number of years. In 1929 she married Omar Burleson, her high school

.... "behind every good man..."

sweetheart. Burleson had recently completed his law training and started practicing law. The next year he made his first race for public office and was elected County Attorney of Jones County. That office and two terms as county judge helped in training for the more ambitious post of Congressman which he gained a few years later.

Mrs. Burleson is a past president of the Congressional Club, a quaisi-official organization of the wives of Senators and Representatives. She is active in functions of the Club and was charged with the responsibility of arranging the Club's traditional luncheon for the First Lady on numerous occasions.

Ruth is an accomplished public speaker and her pleasing personality gains favor in all public appearances and social events related to Omar's busy life.

Afternoon Tea To Honor Mrs. Omar Burleson

Mrs. Omar (Ruth) Burleson will be honored with a Tea for Ladies in the parlor of the First United Methodist Church from 2:30-4:30 p.m. April 20.

The afternoon tea is another feature of the "Omar Burleson Day" celebration on Saturday, April 20, in Anson given by the "Friends of Omar Burleson."

Sculptress Juan Dell will also be introduced at the afternoon tea for ladies.

A bronze bust of the Congressman made by Mrs. Dell will be unveiled during formal ceremonies on the courthouse lawn later in the day.

Serving as general chairman for the tea is Mrs. A. J. Smith, Jr.

Co-chairmen working with her on the basic committee are Mrs. Charles Boyd, president of the Tuesday Study Club; Mrs. C. A. Baucum, president of the Anson Woman's Club; Mrs. N. J. Mayfield, Anson Lioness Club pres-

ident; and Mrs. Sam Carnes, president of the Anson Garden Club.

Every woman in Anson is invited to attend the tea, and requested to consider herself a hostess to the large crowd of guests due to arrive in the city during the afternoon. Women who would like to serve on special committees are urged to call the chairmen and volunteer. Plans are being completed rapidly under the excellent leadership of area



Mr. and Mrs. Omar Burleson during a visit to the Jones County Courthouse in Anson,

Bust Of Omar Is Work Of Real Artist

bust bronze Congressman Omar Burleson, which is to be unveiled on the Jones County court house square Saturday April 20, is the artistic creation of a West Texas sculptress with a down to earth background similar to that of the man to be honored in special celebration. She is Mrs. Joe (Juan Dell) Wade of Buffalo Springs Lake, Lubbock, Texas, who is rapidly becoming famous for her sculpturing of historically oriented personalities.

As a little girl on a Hockley County farm in the 1930's, Juan Dell grew up like most farm children. She has fond memories of those times, her homemade toys, the swims she took in one of the hundreds of galvanized stock tanks that dot the South Plains of that part of Texas. She liked to climb to the top of the windmill that pumped the water into the tank at her home just to gaze across the vast expanse of the rangeland that composed part of the nearby XIT and Spade ranches.

In the spring when it was warm, she enjoyed playing on the sand dunes which sometimes reached two-thirds of the way up on the cedar fence posts that enclosed the pastureland. There she spent countless hours building sand castles and drawing pictures in the West Texas blow sand. She now looks back on those early artistic endeavors as basic to her present interest and skill in the arts of painting and wax and bronze sculpturing.

Mrs. Wade's interest in art first led her into painting. In that field she gained considerable training in oil painting. Then in 1968 while spending the summer in Taos she lived in an apartment adjacent to a bronze foundry. With typical curiosity, she became interested in the foundry's operation and in bronze sculpture, and by the end of the summer she had completed her first work in bronze, Shamon - "Medicine Man."

This experience opened a whole new life for the "sand dune artist," who had been working with oil paints and wax. Bronze proved the ideal vehicle for portraying the strong, picturesque and famous characters of the past that had long intrigued her.

rently displaying her work are the Indian museum in Santa Fe, the Buffalo Bill Museum in Cody, Wyoming and the Panhandle-Plains Museum in Canyon

In 1969 the Wade family moved to Lubbock where Juan Dell has been busy fashioning bronze busts, notable persons, both past and present. Her busts of famous Indian leaders include Sitting Bull, Geronimo, Quanah Parker and Chief Joseph of the Nex Perce. Her characterizations are carefully researched both for detail and for historical accuracy.

Her most recent creation in this field is a portrayal of Texas Ranger Captain, Jack Hays, which was the official commemorative piece for the Texas Ranger sesquicentennial in 1973.

Prior to doing the bust of Congressman Burleson, Mrs. Wade completed a bronze bust of Congressman George Mahon which is being exhibited in the museum at Texas Tech University. She has also been commissioned to do a bronze of Congressman W. R. (Bob) Poage of Waco, and has begun preliminary research for the Poage bust.



THE BRONZE BUST of Congressman Burleson, which is to be placed in the front of the north entrance to the Jones County Courthouse, is the work of Juan Dell, Lubbock sculptor, who was commissioned by the "Friends of Omar Burleson" to do the statue. She has become well known for her artistic ability to fashion likenesses in bronze of past and present notables.

Statue

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Smith of Anson, chairman of the ladies tea, the sculptress, Juan Dell of Lubbock, will be introduced at the tea.

Serving of the barbecue will begin at five o'clock, which is to be catered by the Texas Trails Chuckwagon of Albany, according to chairman Gist.

Gist also pointed out that tickets to the barbecue are \$2.50 each and are available at a number of locations in each county of the district. He added that ticket sales are going well and all indications are that several thousand people from over the district will be in Anson on the 20th for the celebration.

At the final planning meeting in Anson, Chairman Gist expressed his thanks and appreciation and that of the steering committee to the many friends of Omar Burleson who have contributed money and their time toward helping to make this celebration the big success all indications point toward.

Other members of the steering committee include the following:

Jack Cozart, Cisco; J.C. Moss, Anson; E. Dale Herring, Talpa; Mrs. Dolris Dean, Anson; Bob Bailey, Abilene; Maurice Brooks, Abilene; J. Ed Connally, Abilene; Mayor Ike Hudson, Stamford:

Stamford;
Also, Mayor Joe Ford,
Hamlin; Walter Johnson, Abilene; Mayor Herman Reeves, Anson; Bob Upton, Abilene; Joe Hodges, Abilene;
John Wright, Abilene; Don
Maples, Abilene; Dan McLaren, Anson; Leldon Clifton,
Hamlin; Earl Smith, Stamford.





THE NAME OF THE GAME is identify the future Congressman, Omar Burleson, in the above photo of the Anson High School senior class of 1924 and in two groups of senior boys photographed while clowning around on Senior Day. If you have given up, check the front row of the senior



class picture by counting five from the left and you have your man. In the small group picture on the left, count from the left to the seventh boy, and in the photo on the right, stop counting at two. (Photos courtesy Hub Holland).

Representative Burleson's Aim

FOR THE

17th Congressional District of Texas

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CONGRESSMAN OMAR BURLESON

OMAR BURLESON, a Democrat in Congress since 1947, ranks 16th among the 435 Members of the House of Representatives. OMAR BURLE-SON was selected unanimously by the whole House to serve on the powerful House Ways and Means Committee, the Committee which handles all tax legislation, social security, tariffs and quotas on foreign imports, formulation of tax policy and all matters affecting our fiscal policy and monetary system. This Committee also makes all other committee assignments in the House. The Committee is composed of fifteen Democrats and ten Republicans. There are no subcommittees to this Committee and for this reason, any seat below that of the Chairman is as important as any other. OMAR BURLESON has seniority in the House over all members of this Committee except the Chairman. This seniority in the Congress is important and gives your Representative power and influence among his

To accept the Ways and Means assignment, OMAR BURLESON relinquished the Chairman-ship of the House Administration Committee, the Chairmanship and Vice-Chairmanship of two Joint Committees and a ranking position on the House Foreign Affairs Committee.

OMAR BURLESON seldom misses a roll call vote. He is a progressive, conservative Democrat who is dedicated to serving the best interests of the Nation, Texas and the 17th Congressional District.

The most EFFECTIVE Representative a Congressional District can have is a man who, through many years of experience and seniority, can use his power and influence in the best interest of economy and good government, without sacrificing principle or yielding to any pressure or political intimidation. OMAR BURLESON enjoys trying to be helpful to everyone and welcomes your letters, telephone calls and visits to either his District or Washington office.

OMAR BURLESON was elected to the 80th Congress and has been re-elected to succeeding Congresses.

OMAR BURLESON served as County Attorney and County Judge of Jones County over a period of ten years. He served as a Special Agent of the FBI, resigning to enter the Navy in WW II, and served $3\frac{1}{2}$ years with duty in the North Atlantic and South Pacific. He is a Lt. Commander in the U. S. Navy Reserve.

BURLESON attended public schools in Anson, attended Abilene Christian College, Hardin-Simmons University, and obtained his law degree from Cumberland University Law School, later doing graduate work at the University of Texas. In 1967 he was awarded an honorary LL.D. Degree by Hardin-Simmons.

OMAR BURLESON married Ruth DeWeese. Their legal residence is Jones County. He is a member of the Church of Christ, Masonic Lodge, several civic, service and veterans organizations. He served as District Governor of Lions International.

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The Ambitious Farm Boy Grows Up

Political Career Begins - - -

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tubercular and because of his illness lived in semi-isolation, leaving much of the work and responsibilities on Mrs. Burleson and the sons, Marcus, Elmer, Weldon and Omar. After his father and one brother died in 1918, operation of the farm became an even greater problem, especially after Marcus started a grocery store in Stamford and Elmer entered the army.

Omar's first schooling was at Newlight, one of the some 30 small schools of Jones County that were later closed by consolidations. It was a one - room, one - teacher school, taught by Lucille Miller, who later became his sister-in-law, Mrs. Marcus Burleson.

After completing the sixth grade at Newlight, Omar entered the Anson schools where he completed his high school education and met his future wife. Ruth DeWeese. Hegraduated from Anson High School in 1924 before setting out to gain the necessary training to realize his ambition to become a lawyer. He attended Abilene Christian College one year, 1924-25 and Hardin-Simmons University two years, 1926-28. He changed to H-SU to play in the Cow-boy Band which helped him get through college.

After graduation from H_SU, the future Congressman went to Cumberland University LawSchool in Lebanon, Tenn., "because it was cheaper," where he got his law degree in 1929.

Returning to Texas with a law degree in hand, he hung out his shingle in Gorman. He and Ruth DeWeese married April 21, 1929 and after the Gorman law office proved unprofitable, they moved to Anson. Back in his home town, he entered the race for county attorney in 1930 and was elected. He held the judgship from 1935 through 1940.

His first backset in his political career came during the last year as county judge of Jones County when he was defeated in a race for a seat in the State Senate, but that defeat led to a decision that carried him to the nation's capital where he gained his first on the spot insight in the goings on outside his home county and state. He resigned the county judgship after the November, 1940, election, a few weeks before the term expired and went to Washington as an FBI agent.

He spent a year and a half in the service of the FBI before deciding that it was no job for a homebody and resigned to become secretary to Congressman Sam Rayburn of Stephenville, then the 17th District representative. That job in part of 1941 and 1942 led to his decision to seek the congressional seat for himself when the time was right. He resigned from Rayburn's staff to become general counsel for the National Capital Housing Authority for a brief time before entering the Navy.

He served in Navy intelli-

IN THE NAVY during World War II, Omar served in Navy intelligence and later did duty aboard a minesweeper.

gence, and later did sea duty aboard a minesweeper in the Pacific until the end of World War II.

Then, as he had hoped and expected, there was a vacancy for the 17th District congressional seat and he entered the race with seven other candidates.

In the first primary of that 1946 election, he led a fellow Jones Countian, Ted Miles of Stamford, by only 200 votes to go into the run-off with Bill Blanton of Albany, son of former congressman from this district. Tom Blanton.

this district, Tom Blanton.

Blanton led in the rough first primary with 10,167 votes to Burleson's 8,621, but in the runoff Omar won by a decisive 28,854 to 22,154 for Blanton.

Taking his seat in the U.S. House of Representatives for the first time in January 1947, at the age of 40, the former ambitious farm boy from Jones County, now a freshman congressman, drewanassignment to the House Administration Committee. He received a second committee assignment seat on the Foreign Affairs Committee in 1949 and became chairman of the House Administration Committee in 1955. Both of those committee assignments were given up when he finally won the Way and Means Committee post in July 1968.

He made a bid for the powerful Ways and Means Committee seat in 1966, but scored
a near miss when it came
to a vote in the Democratic
caucus January 17, 1967,
losing to Congressman Jacob
Gilbert from New York. In
the next go-round, July 30,
1968, he won the coveted assignment. When he went to
the Ways and Means Committee he had to resign all
of his other committee connections.

Aside from his post on the Ways and Means Committee, Burleson exercises a powerful influence in the House through a coalition group known as the Boll Weevil Club made up of conservative Democratic and Republican congressman.

Burleson says that Time Magazine gave the coalition its name because most of the Democrats were southerners. His connection and activity with this group, along with his political philosophy is related in the following exerpts from an interview with Abilene Reporter-News editor, Ed Wiscamper. The interview was printed in that newspaper June 8, 1968:

This coalition crosses party lines to support or oppose legislation, usually on the basis of fiscal policy.

Burleson acknowledges that he still heads this coalition. He prefers to call himself "coordinator of efforts."



A FRESHMAN SEEKS INSPIRATION -- Omar Burleson is pictured beside the statue of Anson Jones, last president of the Republic of Texas, for whom Anson and Jones County were named. The courthouse where Burleson began his public service career is in the background. This photo was made on September 1, 1946, after Burleson had been elected to Congress, but before his term began on January 1, 1947. Saturday, April 20, a bronze likeness of him is to be unveiled at the north entrance of the Jones County Courthouse.

He says there is no formal organization. Rather, it is a loosely knit group.

"When the more liberal philosophy came into prominence," he says, "then and now, a group of Democrats holding to the conservative philosophy—I call it "gravitating together"—met to discuss legislation, whether to support or oppose it depending on the nature of the bill, and to plan strategy and tactics."

When he went on the Ways and Means Committee, he called the group together and tried to resign as its head. He no longer had a committee room in which they could meet, he explained, since he had to give up chairmanship of Administration. But the Boll Weevils would not turn him loose.

Burleson said the Democrats and Republicans did not meet together. Rather, the Democrats met, decided their course, then Burleson went to the Republican leadership to see how many votes could be counted on from that camp.

Burleson thinks this coali-

tion "works for good government." He says on some conservative issues, he can muster as many as 90 Democratic votes, but usually the average is from 52 to 60. In the Republican ranks, usually 163 conservatives can be counted out of the party total of 187.

It takes 219 to win control in the House, with its 435 members.

"If we muster our strength, we can control it," Burleson declared.

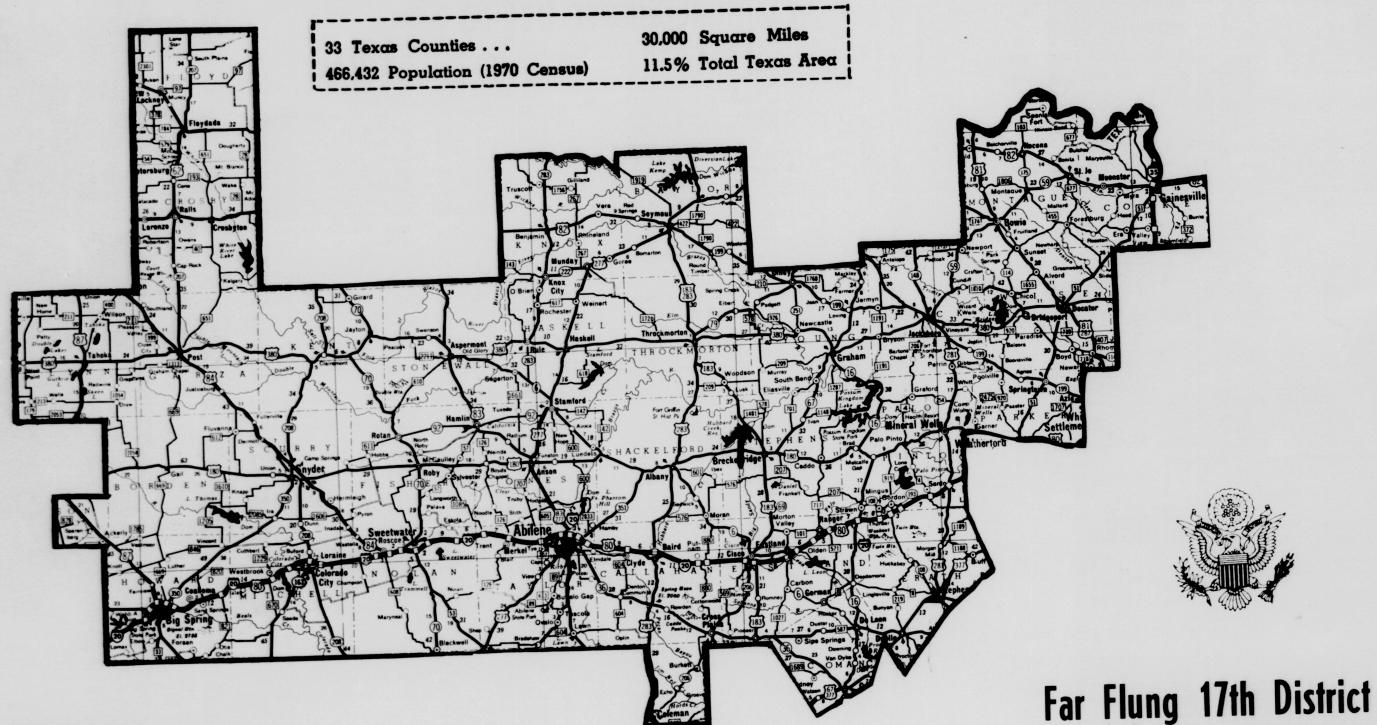
Burleson has accumulated numerous honors in his career, before and since going to Congress.

But the one in which he takes most pride is that with which he closed the interview – the honorary doctor of law degree awarded at the Hardin-Simmons University spring commencement in 1967.

"I am very proud of that," he said.

He has also been especially appreciative of the fact that he and Ruth were called back to their hometown in 1960 to receive the outstanding man and woman of the year plaques at a Chamber of Commerce banquet.

DISTRICT 17 th CONGRESSIONAL



the congressman says

Special note to friends

The old cliche, "you can please all of the people part of the time, part of the people all of the time, but you can't please all the people all of the time," is very true in terms of the service of a public official,

However, the people of this District have been splendid in their support of me in Congress. Your friendship and goodwill mean more to Ruth and me than anything in the

The fact that people differ is not something to be disturbed about. This is a good sign. We need the stimulation of fresh ideas and every citizen ought to stand on his two feet, so to speak, and defend the position in which he believes.

I have sought to serve the people of our District to the best of my ability, and I think the people generally approve of my service here. Of course, in a free country we make allowances for honest differences of opinion from time to time and all realize that no two people agree precisely on all subjects, or any subject for that matter.

We are confronted in the Congress with many serious, complex and difficult problems. I want to do everything in my power to serve well the best interest of our District and the nation generally.

Government programs cost money and somebody has to pay for them. In my work in Washington I am trying to encourage and follow a policy of economy and good government, I feel very strongly that our government should pay its own way and should not spend beyond its means. I believe in a policy of pay-as-you-go. We need to have a dollar in value for every dollar spent. I believe in the free enterprise system and I believe that government should stay out of those areas in which there is no necessity for government action.

Certainly I want to ask for your continued good will. I also want to thank you for the support which you have given me. It is very helpful to have your views and suggestions from time to time, and I sincerely hope that you will continue to let me hear from you on all matters so vitally important to our District and the nation as a whole.

Note to newcomers

Not only has the 17th Congressional District grown in area and natural resourses, it has grown and continues to grow in numbers of people. Quite often I have occasion to write, or otherwise, welcome newcomers, but certainly I, along with the many fine people of the District, am happy when people from outside move into our District and become a part of any one of the many progressive, hospitable communities of this District.

This District has, partly because of the many newcomers, shown tremendous growth in business and civic development during the past twenty years. In fact, this District has prospered more than many of the other Congressional Districts of this state and the nation. This District has prospered through the production of many agricultural commodities of food, feed and fiber. Yes, this is farming country, cattle, sheep, cotton, peanuts, pecans and now mohair. And this is oil and industrial country. And yes, the 17th District is also wholesale and retail country. It is "high IQ" country, with senior colleges and junior colleges, in addition to the many, many outstanding public school districts. And yes, this is even military country with its several military installations throughout the district.

To the newcomers, I can say this is the "Big Country" and growing bigger. Not in the last 20 years has it experienced a setback in its forward progress.

The District has a fine network of highways -- federal and state -- connecting with paved roads all post offices in the District. With railroad and airline transportation to and from many of the larger cities it is a growing "Big Country" prosperous, friendly in an atmosphere of happy, churchgoing people.

Certainly we welcome newcomers. We invite you to become a part of this vast community of mutual interests. We invite you to help this District continue to grow and prosper. The initiative, foresight and ambition of the people of this District has

Spread From 12 Counties The bulging 17th Con- other counties. They were gressional District has grown Haskell, Throckmorton, Ho-

since 1946 from the original 12 counties in West Central Sterling, Coke, San Saba, Run-Texas to a 6-county wide expanse extending from the lower South Plains through Cooke County in North Tex- son and Menard became part

uary, 1947, the district com- after 15 counties and part of posed of Fisher, Nolan, Jones, Taylor, Shackelford, Callahan, Stephens, Eastland, Palo counties and portions of two Pinto, Erath and Comanche counties were added. counties, had a population slightly under the 244,640 shown in the official census of 1950. Currently, following changes in 1955, 1965, 1967 and 1972, the district consists of 33 counties which showed a total population of 466,432 in the 1970 census. The sprawling district now contains 30,000 square miles representing 11.5 per cent of the total area of Texas.

The first increase, in 1955, added Scurry and Parker counties to the original 12 counties. Ten years later, 1965, the district lost Scurry and Parker but took on 12

ward, Mitchell, Glasscock, nels, Coleman, Brown and

In 1967 Burnet, Llano, Maof the 17th District. More When Omar Burleson took changes in 1972 gave the dishis seat in Congress in Jan- trict the present boundaries four other counties were cut out of the district and 10

Counties lost early in 1972 included Hamilton, Mills, Lampasas, Burnet, Llano, Mason, Menard, Concho, Runnels, Coke, Sterling and Glasscock. Added at the same time were Scurry, Borden, Garza, Kent, Stonewall, Crosby, Floyd, Young, Jack, Wise, Montague and Cook. Then in June of 1972, San Saba, Mc-Cullough and Brown counties and portions of Coleman, Comanche, Erath and Cooke were cut out and part of Parker and all of Dawson County were added. The accompanying map shows the District in its present size and shape.



A MAN MUST STAND TALL to survey and respond wisely to the needs, wishes and demands of a population of nearly 500,000 in a 30,000 square mile area of a rapidly developing section of the State of Texas. That is the challenge that daily confronts Omar Burleson, who has successively been chosen for the past 27 years to serve as the United States Congressman from the sprawling 17th District, which now includes thirty-three counties. His long tenure would indicate that a majority of the district's electorate feel that he has met the challenge well.

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NEWS AND VIEWS. . . And What Have You By BOB CRAIG

Apparently there will be a good crowd on hand Saturday when the Piper track team makes its bid for another Regional championship at Odessa. A number of people we have talked to plan on being at Odessa this weekend.

Unfortunately, most of us will not be able to be on hand for as much of the regional competition as we would like. The golf matches will be in Andrews on Friday and the track meet gets underway Friday afternoon in Odessa. Most of the fans will just be on hand for the finals in the running events on Saturday.

We extend the best wishes of all the Hamlin fans to these youngsters who will be representing us this weekend.

As the May 4 Democratic Primary gets close at hand it is time to look at some more of the contested races and time to make some decisions on which candidates to support.

One race that may go down to the wire is the one for State Senator for this district. Both Ray Farabee and Charles Finnell seem to have drawn good support in their bids for this Senate seat being vacated by Jack Hightower.

Finnell seemed to have been caught with a little egg on his face following the disclosure of his expense fund, but he denies any wrong doing in regard to the phone calls charged to the state.

While either candidate would probably do us a good job in Austin we tend to lean a little more in the direction of Farabee. It's not one of those cases where there is only one man for the job, but after visiting with both men we just feel that probably Farabee is the better choice of the two.

Farabee seems just a little bit more mature of the two and for this reason and a few others, he will get our support.

At least in our own minds the race for the District 61 House seat is a little bit more cut and dried. In the first place I can still remember the hard time Rep. Elmer Martin gave us on our bid for our hospital district. If it had been up to him we would have never gotten a bill out of the Legislature.

We have not talked to anyone who went to Austin last year in support of the hospital districts who didn't come back thinking that we were poorly represented in Austin. Like most of them I was amazed at how little support he offered the vast majority of voters in this county.

Since he seemed to have favored the people in the southern part of the county during that issue I for one am willing for those people to keep supporting him and for us to find us someone else to support. He wasn't interested in us then and I don't believe we should be interested in him now.

This leaves us two choices in this race and both Mike Young Jr. and Alton Staggs would probably make good representatives but here again a choice must be made and we feel that Young is the better of the two

Both candidates are from Abilene but Young grew up in Fisher County and his family has engaged in farming and ranching activities for many years. Because of this Young would seem to be the better of the two choices because he does have a better understanding of the needs and problems of the rural areas of this district.

But to us his big strong point is his interest in education. This will continue to be one of the number one problems facing our Legislature for years to come. Young's experience

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YOUTH LEADERSHIP TEAM-Members of the Youth Leadership Team, composed of six students from each of the four high school classes, conducted sessions at Hamlin Junior High School Tuesday morning. Here, students get classroom assignments from Principal Marvin Carlton. Mrs. Shirley Temples, consultant with the Region 14 Education Service Center, (in center of picture) works with high school teacher Sammy Ferguson (to her right) on the project. Follow-up sessions will be held later.



TEAM IN CLASSROOM—The Youth Leadership Team conducts a "fishbowl technique" with junior high school students during the Tuesday morning session. Some of the purposes of the Team are to aid in drug education programs, help to counsel another student and to help students develop and keep a healthy positive attitude toward life and life situations.

BARBECUE AT 5 P.M. -

Plans are in the final stages

for the big "Friends of Omar

Burleson" Day Celebration in

Anson Saturday, according to

General Chairman B. J. Gist.

The activities will get un-

derway at 2:30 p.m. with a

coffee and a tea. This will be

followed by a barbecue at 5

and the unveiling of a bronze

The County Judges from

the 33 counties of the 17th

Congressional District are

issuing proclamations

declaring April 20th "Omar

Burleson Day" in each

county. The main street of

downtown Anson will be

roped off throughout the

afternoon and early evening

for the big celebration,

centering around the Jones

County Courthouse and

square, where the bronze of

the Congressman is to be

Steering Committee

Chairman Gist has an-

nounced that personal in-

vitations have been extended

to the President, Vice

President, Speaker of the U.

S. House, both Texas

Senators, all members of the

Texas Delegation in the

Congress, the Governor, Lt.

Governor and Speaker of the

Texas House. Gist said that

he had not yet received

replies from the dignitaries

invited to the celebration. He

said he is hopeful that some of

the Washington and Austin

Hardin Simmons University

unveiled at 7:00 p.m.

bust of the Congressman.

INTRACK, LITERARY, GOLF-

Hamlin Students In Regional Meet

Hamlin High School will send 17 students to take part in the Region I University Interscholastic League competition this weekend. Twelve of these will take part in the track and field events

Hamlin results at Mason

440-yd Relay-1st, 42.4 (Albert McAfee, Johnny Jones, Alfred McAfee and Bill Cork).

120 High Hurdles-1st David Willis, 14.4; 3rd Ronnie

Maberry, 14.8. 100-yd Dash-1st Johnny

Jones, 9.8. 440-yd Dash-1st Bill Cork, 47.6, 2nd Alfred McAfee, 51.0. 330 Int. Hurdles--1st

David Willis, 40.7. 220-yd Dash-1st. Johnny Jones, 21.9.

Mile Relay-1st 3:20.9 (Alfred McAfee 51.5, Ronnie Maberry 50.7, David Willis 50.7, and Bill Cork 48.0). High Jump-1st Bill Cork,

Shot-6th Ray Scifres,

Pee Wee Club

Tryouts Today

Pee Wee baseball tryouts for boys ages 6 through 8 will beheld today (Thursday) at 5 p.m. at the Little League

All boys who would like to play Pee Wee baseball are

Girls to Sell **Candy Here**

Girls who are participating in Little League Baseball will be selling candy Saturday. They will cover both the downtown and residential areas of Hamlin.

Friday and Saturday at Odessa, five at the golf meet in Andrews Thursday and Friday and one in the Literary Contest in Odessa Saturday.

In taking the District Championship in track the Pipers qualified 11 students and one alternate to the regional meet in 13 events and both relays. Going to regional with Coach Bill Grissom will be Albert McAfee, Alfred McAfee, Ronnie Maberry, David Willis, Bill Cork, Ray Scifres, Gerry Young, Robert Phariss, Johnny Jones, Steve Evans and Oscar Marshall.

The Piper Golf team, coached by Tom Dechairo, also captured district honors

and will be competing with 17 other teams from the region. Playing on the Hamlin golf team are Jerry Briscoe, Gary Creason, Tony Maberry, Blain Lewis and Dwayne

Representing Hamlin in the Literary Contest in Odessa will be Cynthia McMillan. She placed third in the shorthand contest at District.

First and second place winners at Regional will advance to the State meet to be held in Austin May 1 through 4.

The Piper track team took first in the regional qualifiers meet held in Mason Friday with 115 points. Rule was second with 52, followed by Rankin with 50 and Breckenridge with 30.

Hamlin P-TA to Host **Spring Conference Here**

The 18th District Parent-Teachers Spring Conference will open at 9 a.m. Wednesday at First Baptist Church with registration and coffee served by Abilene City Council P-TA.

Mrs. Preston Parker, district president, will preside during th 9:30 business session. The Rev. Howard Jones, First Baptist pastor, will give the invocation. Mayor Joe Ford will give the welcome along with the superintendent of Hamlin schools, Bob Hawes. The response will be given by Mrs. Stuart Propst of Anson, district secretary.

Conference rules will be given by the parliamentarian, Mrs. Joe Griffin of Snyder. Mrs. Bill Moreland of Anson, vice president, will present the conference program.

The morning speaker, Mrs. J. B. McCray of Panhandle, vice president of Region I, will be introduced by A. G. Carver of Abilene

After a coffee break, the film, "The Dollar, The Scholar, and You," will be shown. A question and answer session moderated by Mrs. McCray will include Supt. A. E. Wells of Abilene, Supt. Hawes, C. G. Whitten,

president of the Abilene School Board, and W. T. Johnson, president of the Hamlin School Board, as members of the panel.

Hamlin P-TA members will serve a salad luncheon at noon. Life memberships will be presented. The Rev. Marshall Stewart, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, will offer thanks.

The afternoon session will begin at 1:15 with the presentation of program ideas by Mrs. Claude Currie of Amarillo, state health

Two group sessions will be held at 1:40. Mrs. McCray will lead Group I with Mrs. Gilbert Korman of Abilene as hostess. Mrs. Currie will lead Group II with Mrs. Shelly Smith of Abilene as hostess. Committee reports at 2:15

will be by Mrs. Forrest Fox of Snyder, credentials; and Mrs. Ned Phillips of Haskell, courtesy.

The benediction will be given by the Rev. Johnnie Williams, pastor of First United Methodist Church.

The district board of directors will be guests of the Hamlin Independent School District at a dinner Tuesday evening at the high school cafetorium.

IN CITY PARK-

celebration.

the district. He added that

ticket sales are going well

and all indications are that

several thousand people from

over the district will be in

Anson on the 20th for the

City Council Hikes Lake

The Hamlin City Council passed two ordinances here Monday evening to raise Fishing Permit fees at the South Lake and to control

The councilmen also accepted the low bid of J. H. Strain and Son of \$20,160.00 for seal coating 35 blocks of city paving and discussed insurance on the city's property and the budget for the coming year. It was also brought out

during the meeting that rumors were going around town that the city is restricting the use of water, but it was stressed that this was completely untrue. The city has been informed that Lake Stamford, the city's source of water, has an eightyear supply at the present

require a \$6.00 per year permit for boats. It was May 1 when the old permits expire.

The city has discontinued the separate fee for the West Lake and now the fees will be good at both lakes. In the past there has been a \$7.50 fee for

The councilmen set a 15 miles per hour speed limit in the city park and will restrict all motor powered vehicles to the marked roadways or parking areas. The city will install markers to indicate the roadways and parking

cycles and cars being driven thoughout the park, creating a hazard and destroying trees and equipment in the park.

J. H. Strain and Son's bid on seal coating was based on 55 cents per square foot while the other bidder, Abilene Paving Company bid 56 cents per square foot. The firm has until Sept. 1 to complete the

The council has been working with local insurance agencies on the city's insurance program and tabled any action on the matter here Monday until they receive more information on the rates.

The council also appointed a Board of Equalization for the city. Appointed were Donald Young, Robert Moore and Henry Albritton. All three men also will serve in the same capacity for the Hamlin Independent School District.

Fees, Sets Speed Limit

traffic in the City Park.

The council increased the Fishing Permits from \$5.00 to \$6.00 a year and will now pointed out that this was the same fees being charged by the Anson Lake. The city will continue the 50 cents per day fee for fishing and will offer a 50 cents per day fee for boats. The new fees go into effect

both lakes.

It was pointed out during the meeting that the city is having trouble with motor-

officials will be present for 2 p.m. May 9 in the home of the occasion. Mrs. R. D. Moore. In-The World-Travelled

Fandangle Troupe. Gene and Bobbie Moore of Anson will present vocal patriotic selections during the unveiling ceremonies. The crowd will be led in the Pledge of Allegience by "Uncle Sam In Action" Lois Dunlap; the invocation will be offered by Dr. John Garden Club Flower Show

Cowboy Band will perform

throughout the barbecue,

starting at five o'clock on the

20th, in addition to a musical

production from the Albany

Is Cancelled

During the business meeting of the Thursday afternoon meeting of Hamlin Garden Club, members voted to cancel the annual flower show that was set for Apr. 27. The decision was made because of the condition of spring flowers in this area at this time.

A plant sale to be held Apr. 24 will be in front of Thrif-Tee Super Market beginning at 9 a.m. All members are urged to bring their plants and assist with the sale.

Mrs. Larry McCoy was hostess for the Thursday meeting. Mrs. K. H. Fleming of Abilene presented the program. Seventeen members were present. The next meeting will be at

stallation of new officers will be held.

Stevens, President of Abilene Christian College; a welcome to out of town guests will be extended by Jones County Judge Leon Thurman. Following the formal unveiling, Congressman Burleson will make a few remarks to conclude the program. The festivities will begin at 2:30 in the afternoon with a Ladies Tea, honoring Mrs. Omar Burleson, from 2:30 until 4:30 in the First Methodist Church Parlor at Anson. During the same hours, a coffee honoring Congressman Burleson will be given at the Anson High School Cafeteria for all men, and both events are open to the public. According to Mrs. A. J.

Burleson Day Set In Anson Saturday

Smith of Anson, Chairman of the Ladies Tea, the Sculptress, Juan Dell of Lubbock, will be introduced at the tea. Serving of the barbecue

will begin at five o'clock, which is to be catered by the Texas Trails Chuckwagon of Albany, according to Chairman Gist. Gist also pointed out that tickets to the barbecue are \$2.50 each and are available at a number of locations in each county of

Sets Revival

First Assembly of God Church will have a weekend revival featuring Freddie Weaver and Darrell Shaw, both of Bowie, as the evangelists.

Services will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Friday and Saturday and 6:30 p.m. on Sunday.

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DOUBLE BUCCANEER STAMPS ON WEDNESDAY
AND SATURDAY WITH \$2.50 PURCHASE

THRIF-TEE SUPER MARKET

LODGE RESIDENTS MARK BIRTHDAYS—Holiday Lodge residents observing birthdays during April are, from left, Lellie Meeks, Apr. 28, 1889; Lola Williams, Apr. 23, 1897; Eugene Cohorn, Apr. 9, 1901; John Harughty, Apr. 7, 1895; and seated, Laura Chappell, Apr. 1, 1900.

Maberry, Ragland Vows **Exchanged Here Thursday**

Dick Maberry and Edna Ragland of San Diego, Calif., were married here in his home at 8 p.m. Thursday,

Apr. 4. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Marshall Stewart, pastor of the Church

of the Nazarene. Honor attendants were Mr. and Mrs. George Maberry. The bridegroom and Mr. Maberry are brothers and Mrs. Maberry and the bride

The bride wore a white tailored dress and a corsage of white carnations accented with yellow

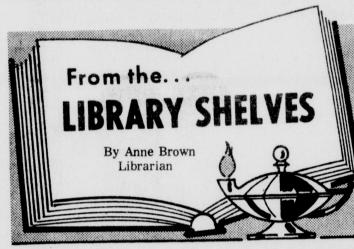
The reception table was covered with a white cutwork

cloth. Crystal and silver appointments were used.

Mrs. Bob Maberry served and Mrs. George Maberry registered the guests. Guests included Mr. and

Mrs. B. D. Smith of Hermleigh, brother of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Jones niece of the bride, and Doug Jones, all of Hermleigh, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Anderson of Noodle, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Maberry, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Maberry, Ruby Allen, all of McCaulley, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tegart and Mrs. Marshall

The couple plans a trip to California later.



been added to the shelves at "Tonya" Harden Memorial Library to provide interesting reading for patrons.

Also added is a large Spanish, including some children's books.

Another feature of the library services offered is the exchange of paperbacks. Patrons may bring their used paperbacks and exchange one for one for other titles from the paperback shelf.

A story hour for preschoolers is held each Thursday from 3:30 to 4 p.m. under the direction of the Woman's Forum and the Young Homemakers Chapter.

New book titles are "Celebrate the Sun" by James Kavanaugh; "Serpico" by Peter Maas, "The Fat is in Your Head" by Charlie Shedd; "Wonderland" by Joyce Carol Oates; "The Curse of the Kings" by Victoria Holt; "North Dallas Forty" by

Peter Gent. "Buried Alive" the biography of Janis Joplin by Myra Friedman; "Life and Death in a Coral Sea" by Jaques-Yves Cousteau; "When Eight Bells Toll" by Alistair MacLean; "The Technique of Landscape Painting" by Frederic Taubes; "Remember the

Bridge Winners

Mrs. Ray Sonnenburg and Dale Lain were top winners in the Tuesday evening Duplicate Bridge Club competition.

A three-way tie resulted for second, Mrs. W. O. Willbanks and Mrs. Floyd Briscoe, Mrs. W. L. Hunter Jr. and Mrs. L. W. Shivers and Beverly McMillan and Helen Vidrine, both of Abilene.

Several new books have Days" by Kenneth Sollitt; by Gregory Boyington; "Jaws" by Peter Benchley; "The Hollow Hills" by Mary Stewart; "The Kennedy Neurosis" by selection of books written in Nancy Clinch; and "The Instrument" by John O'Hara.

> HARDEN MEMORIAL LIBRARY 324 Southwest Ave. A. Schedule

Monday	3	to 5	p.m
Tuesday	5	to 7	p.m
Wednesday	3	to 5	p.m
Thursday	3	to 5	p.m
Friday	3	to 5	p.m

HOSPITAL

PATIENTS In Hospital Wednesday:

Margie Roberson Billy Kitchen, Hawley Chris Wilcox Mrs. Edgar Smith Thomas Smith J. C. Cauble John E. Crow Sr. Mrs. Larry Brown, Roby W. B. Dobbins Jesse Mendoza Jr Mrs. J. C. Turner Sr. John Holland Mrs. I. J. Dixson Bertha Simmons Floyd Turner Mrs. J. M. Allen, Asper-

Herde E. Douthett Morris Garcia Valeria Hudson Dismissed Apr. 10-Apr. 16 Bessie Sheffield Pete Bond A. L. Gamble Evie Hubbard, Peacock

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Thomas Brown of Roby are parents of a boy, Joshua Lynn, 8 lbs. 4 oz., born Apr. 15 Stamford Memorial Hospital at 4:20 p.m.

Tea Friday

Miss Johnston

Honored With

Jeanette Johnston, of Tulare, Calif., bride-elect of Gary Cauble, was honored Friday afternoon with a gift tea in the parlor of First United Methodist Church.

Receiving with the honoree, were her mother, Mrs. David Johnston, of Tulare, Calif., her fiance's mother, Mrs. J. C. Cauble and her fiance's grandmother, Mrs. Ray Teague of Abilene.

The table was covered with a white tiered organza cloth centered with arrangement of blue and yellow iris. Crystal and silver appointments were used.

Hostesses were Mmes. Bill Davis, Richard Young Jr., Lewis Madden, Bert Fomby, Jap Kemp, Earl Brown, L. C. Bonds, Bill Rountree, James Harrison, Audrey Hodnett, Ira Parker, J. B. Jayroe, Brad Rowland, Fred Smith, Phil Smith, Lawrence Shivers, Johnnie Williams, Kent Jones, Jack Vaughan, Harry Dillard and Miss Betty Jean Dillard.

Mrs. Cooper Hosts Friends Class Meeting

HOLIDAY

LODGE

VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cross

and Mrs. Joe Gibson, all of

Graham, visited their mother

and grandmother, Josei

Mrs. Betty Jo Davis and

Kerry Sipe of Lubbock

O. B. Proctor of Abilene

Tuffy and Scott Metcalf,

Laura Baldree and Kim,

Ethel Cross and Carrie Swink, all of Asperment,

were visitors of Josie Cross.

Mrs. Tommy Richey and

David of Hobbs, N. M. visited

her grandmother, Mary

Susan Collins visited

Mattie Dorris, Mr. and

Mrs. Bill Swafford, and Boyd Roland, all of Fort Worth, visited at Holiday Lodge. Other Lodge visitors included Mr. and Mrs. Otis

Tucker, Cindy and Tracie

Haggard, all of Abilene.

First Baptist

Women Meet

Here Monday

The Baptist Women of the

First Baptist Church held

their regular monthly

meeting in the home of Mrs.

LaFoy Patterson Monday

Mrs. Dan Newberry gave

the program on "Mission-

Minded Portuguese." Mrs.

Howard Jones gave the Call

Others attending were

Mrs. Bobby Stubblefield

will present the May program

Mmes. Andy Brown, Herman

Sharer and A. F. Haught.

at the next meeting.

Zeta Psi

Chapter

annual meeting.

attending.

latent abilities.

creative abilities

educators

for surgery

Meets Here

The Zeta Psi Chapter of

Delta Kappa Gamma of

Abilene met here last

Tuesday evening in the home

of Mrs. Leldon Clifton for the

Hamlin members, Dr.

Nelva Fowler, Mrs. Clifton,

and Mrs. Joe Norton, were

hostesses and served a salad

supper to the 28 members

The Hamlin members also

presented the program on

these subjects: should you

continue your education?;

implementing educational services; and developing

Various members brought

samples of hobbies that

showed the development of

Delta Kappa Gamma is an

honor society for women

Mrs. Otha (Viola) Brown

has returned home after

being hospitalized at

evening.

to Prayer.

visited his mother, Martha

visited his grandfather, Ben

Linda of Lubbock visited her

father, Ben McNeely.

McNeely.

Arrington.

Buelah Greer.

Mrs. Paul Cooper was hostess for the Apr. 9 meeting of Friends Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church Mrs. Elbert Payne,

outreach leader, presided over the meeting. The devotional was given by Mrs. Edgar E. Duncan, member of the Service Class of First Baptist Church on

"Easter Consecrated Hands" by Ethel Swets.

PAM WAGGONER engagement announced

Pam Waggoner, Randy Ryno Plan Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Waggoner announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Pam, to E-4 Randy Ryno of Dyess Air Force Base, Abilene.

Parents of the prospective bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ryno of West.

The couple will be married Aug. 3 at First Baptist Church. The bride-elect will be a

spring graduate of Hamlin High School. Her fiance is a graduate of

Aquilla High School and Hill Junior College in Hillsboro.

tea and mints were served. Members attending were Mmes. Albert Haught, teacher; H. L. Ford, assistant teacher; and Herman E. Sharer. Several members were not able to attend due to

Mrs. Ford closed the Jello cheese cake, coffee, meeting with prayer.

Mrs. Williams To Host Tea Here Friday

Mrs. Jackie Williams, president of the Woman's Literary Club will be the hostess for the closing meeting of the year, the installation tea, Friday at 2

Making arrangements for the tea will be Mmes. Opal Smith, Loyd Burkhart and Guy Weaver. The refreshment committee includes Mmes. L. B. Bruner, W. A. Cassle and Johnnie Williams.

Mrs. Earl Brown will conduct the installation of officers

Mrs. Williams will give a resume of the year's accomplishments. Delegates to the district convention will give reports.

Mrs. Hunter In Recital At Texas Tech

Dianna Crowley Hunter performed in a trumpet recital at Texas Tech University, Saturday evening which was presented in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the bachelor of music education

She presented four trumpet solos. Two other trumpet majors, Mark Hall and Fred Klaerner, were also featured in the program.

Mrs. Hunter is a May candidate for graduation from Texas Tech. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Bobby Crowley, Rick and Reeta attended the recital.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Becker of Pecos visited with their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Butler.

Favorite Recipes

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The recipe this week is for a novelty cake that is made with popcorn and requires no baking. Mrs. Ione Cheshier makes the cake frequently and the original recipe came from Carolyn Reynolds of

Miss Reynolds teaches in Austin and got the recipe from the mother of one of her

POPCORN CAKE 4 qts. popped popcorn pkg. small gumdrops 8 oz. salted peanuts

Mix together in large pan or dishpan. ½ c. oil

1/2 c. margarine 1 lb. pkg. marshmallows Melt the marshmallows in

oil and margarine. Pour over the popcorn mixture. Press firmly into buttered tube pan. Remove after it is cool.

This recipe was given to Mrs. Dan Newberry by a native of Russia who now lives in Fort Worth. Mrs.

Newberry shares it with our readers with this comment: "It is delicious." It melts in your mouth, she added.

Lay Brisket in foil large enough to cover and seal. Rub

Seasoning salt Adolph's Instant Meat Tenderizer

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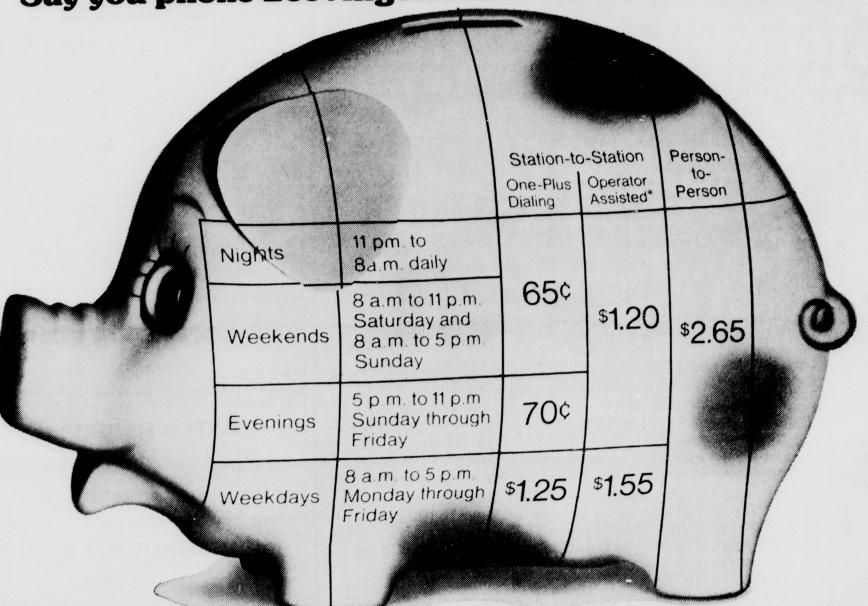
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SUNDAY

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11:00 a.m. 6:00 p.m.

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Morning Worship

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FROM THE FILES . . .

FIFTY YEARS AGO (April 11, 1924)

Those of you who enjoy a tent show are having a treat this week while the Brunk's Players are in our city. The Original Brunk's are entertaining this week and making a hit in every performance. This show will be here through Saturday night, giving two shows the last day, Saturday afternoon and night.

baseball game between the Hamlin Fats and the Hamlin Leans for Tuesday of this week. It was played in the usual fancy manner. Those who played got their money's worth and at the same time helped the good ladies of the Cemetery Association. The handsome sum of \$96.90 was taken in. Clipping off a bit of this for expenses, the net proceeds were altogether flattering. The two cemeteries of Hamlin are looking much better since the ladies have taken charge of them. There is a lot of improving to be done yet and the members of the Association will keep up their efforts until the cemeteries are in first class shape.

Sweetwater business men, filling 100 automobiles and accompanied by a good brass band, will make Fisher County on Tuesday, Apr. 15 of next week. As Hamlin is about onehalf of Fisher County, they will include this good old town and arrive here at 2 p.m., according to their schedule.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

(April 16, 1954)

A total of \$6,954 was contributed by Jones County people to the 1954 March of Dimes, according to final tabulations made this week. Of this \$6,954 for the county, Hamlin and surrounding communities contributed \$1,596.44.

Children of the Hamlin community up to and including those of the third grade at the elementary school will be treated to a mammoth Easter egg hunt Saturday afternoon at the Hamlin City Park. Sponsor of the project and furnishing the candy Easter eggs for the hunt, is the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce.

Hamlin Elementary School Band under the direction of Walter P. Chalcraft was rated in first division in the annual Area III elementary music meet contests conducted at Hamlin Saturday. The chorus, under the direction of Mrs. Vera Jayroe, and the vocal ensembles were rated in second division.

Two hundred feet of new fire hose was received by the Hamlin Volunteer Fire Department this week, according to the fire chief.

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a deeper sense of pride in the jobs we've got. So may be

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The Farmers & Merchants National Bank is celebrating 20 years of growth in Hamlin since it became the sole banking institution The Herald announced a benefit of the community, declares Tate May, president of the bank.

> TEN YEARS AGO (April 16, 1964)

The Hamlin Piperettes will represent District 6-AA at the Regional Volleyball Tournament in Lubbock Apr. 25 after winning the district title in Stamford last Thursday. In semi-final play against Anson the scores for the three games were 15-4, 1-13 and 15-12. In the final against Winters the scores were 6-12, 15-4 and 15-12.

Twenty persons from Hamlin attended the 51st semi-annual convention of the Mid-West Texas Fireman's Association held in Albany Thursday. Sixteen area towns make up the association. In the races from other towns, Hamlin won first in the six-man hose hookup, third in the two-man race; and fourth in pumper races. They received \$28 in prize money and a trophy.

An open house from 3 to 4:30 p.m. Sunday afternoon at the recently completed Boy Scout Hut will be highlighted by a court of honor in which three boys from the local troup will receive Eagle Awards, the highest award a boy can achieve in Scouting. An Indian dance team from Haskell will give a performance and the public is invited to

The annual flower show sponsored by the Hamlin Flower Club will be open to the public from 3 to 6 p.m. Saturday in the high school gymnasium. The theme for the show is Parade of Flowers and the public is invited to attend.

NEWS AND VIEWS. . .

And What Have You

Continued from page 1

on the Abilene School Board should give him an insight into the problems and needs of the local school districts.

We will probably look at some more Primary races between now and election day.

LETTER PERFECT SATISFIED . . . because of a job well done.

carefully typed letter, and now she is ready to present it to her boss for his inspection and signature.

lives, making sure that all is in order and would stand an inspection by the Lord. Are we letter perfect? Would He be satisfied with us? It is true that none of us are perfect,

but if we study God's word and strive to follow God's will, He will be satisfied with us.

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The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God

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Prayer, Bible Study 7:30 p.m. HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH Rev. Stephen White Aspermont Highway SUNDAY

Mass 9:00 a.m. WEDNESDAY Services 7:30 p.m. McCAULLEY BAPTIST Rev. R. M. Babb

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Worship 11:00 a.m **Evening Service** 6:30 p.m OAK GROVE BAPTIST Rev. Leo F. Scott Northeast Ave. H.

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FRIDAY

Youth Service 7:30 p.m.



GENE AND BOBBIE MOORE ... to direct music in revival

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Texas Be Lowered?

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potatoes go up as politicians demand more and more

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their customers have the freedom to say what they

will buy. . .and what they will pay.

I believe shortages will decline when responsible

insurance and the way to bring the cost down is to

improve our safe driving record. . .through strong

Does Your Dollar Have to Buy Less & Less As You

maintain records and to handle positions of trust.

First Methodist Church **Revival Opens Sunday**

The Rev. Leo K. Gee, pastor of Saint Paul United Methodist Church, will be the evangelist for the Apr. 21-25 revival at First United Methodist Church.

The music will be under the direction of Gene and Bobbie Moore of Anson, former Hamlin residents. He is an ordained minister and his wife is an accomplished musician.

Morning services will begin with a breakfast each morning at 7 a.m. Evening services will be at 7:30.

The Rev. Johnnie Williams, pastor, said that Rev. Gee is considered one of the outstanding ministers of the United Methodist Church in the Northwest Texas area.

The Rev. Gee, was born in Granbury and is a graduate of Texas Wesleyan College in

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REV. LEO GEE ... evangelist

Fort Worth and Southern Methodist University in Dallas. He served as pastor of St. Luke's United Methodist Church in Lubbock 10 years, First Methodist in Big Spring seven years and has been at Amarillo two years.

He is a member of the Wesley Foundation Board at West Texas University, a member of the Sears Memorial Retirement Center Board, and on the Board of Trustees of TWC.

He has conducted more than 100 preaching missions over the world. He and his wife, Barbara, have four daughters, Amy, Rita, Kelly and Ginger.

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Secretaries Seminar Set

Dr. William R. Pasewark of Texas Tech University will be the speaker at the National Secretaries Assn. seminar to be held Apr. 20 at Abilene Christian College in the main room of McGlothlin Campus Center.

Dr. Pasewark was chosen Texas Business Education teacher of the Year for 1973. He will speak on "How to decrease the time, effort and material in office work in order to increase profits."

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The session is for all interested secretaries, students, bosses, teachers and administrators. Advance reservations are to be made with Mrs. Howard Cagle, ACC Station, Box 8036, Abilene, 79601. Advance registration is \$5 per person and \$3 for students. The cost will be \$7 per person the day of the seminar. The reservation fee includes a noon lunch in the Carter Cafeteria on campus.

Mrs. Melvin (Joyce) Scott is NSA treasurer of the Abilene Chapter, will give her report at 9:15 a.m.

NAMED TO LIST OF DISTINGUISHED STUDENTS AT TSU

John V. Howard III, freshman wildlife major at Tarleton State University, has been named to the Distinguished Student List for the fall semester, 1973.

In order to be named to the list, a student must post a 3.25 grade point ratio on Tarleton's 4.0 system with no grade lower than a C.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John V. Howard Jr.

Singing Here

The Third Sunday Singing will be held at 2 p.m. at Calvary Baptist Church, according to Mrs. Bessie King, secretary of the singing organization.

Singers are expected from Sweetwater, Abilene and Roscoe. Several quartets will be attending.

NEWS FROM OLD GLORY

BY BERNICE D. WHITE

Sometime last week in between the sandstorms we received an inch of rain, a little more and a little less in different spots throughout the community. Anyway for this rain we are very thankful. It did freshen up the air for a few hours and gave a boost to the wheat that is now in the process of heading out.

Speaking of sandstorms, some of us remember the story back in the dust storm days about the fellow who saw the prairie dogs up three Mr. and Mrs. Ed Letz, and feet in the air still scratching trying to get out. Well, we were up at Lubbock a couple of weeks ago, happened to pass by Prairie Dog town at Mackenzie Park, and I do believe they are at it again.

Old Glory girls won fourth place in the track meet at Knox City last week and Beverly Neumann won first place in the 220 yd. dash. The 440 yd. relay consisted of Lisa Bookman, Carmella and Celinda Vahlenkamp, and Beverly Neumann. Lynette Meier won 4th in shot put; Lisa Bookman 3rd in triple jump, Susan Baldree 7th in shot put. There were 20 contestants in the shot put Swanks.

In girls grade school competition, Marcene Baldree, 2nd in 220 yd. dash; 440 relay team, Jami Pierce, Linda Harris, Rhonda Hunter, and Marcene Baldree, 2nd place; 880 relay team, Linda Harris, Gail Bryant, Martha McKee and Rhonda Hunter also won 2nd

In the boys track meet at Jayton, 440 yd. relay, Hank Bryant, Freddie Barrera. Isaac Castro, Douglas Vahlenkamp, 5th place, 880 dash Isaac Castro, 7th; in mile run-Freddie Barrera; Terry Hunter, 4th in 440; he also competed in 100 yd. dash, shot put, high jump and 880. David McKee in 880 dash and 880 relay; Berry Alvis 880 relay and broad jump; Chris Vargas in 880 relay.

met in the home of Mrs. Ed Letz on Tuesday of last we Eight members and two visitors were present. Visitors were the Letz's daughter, Regina, and Mrs. Tony Letz.

Mrs. Allen brought two quilt tops for her sister, Mrs. Pete Elliott of Arlington, for the club to examine and make a price for quilting. After the business meeting the group played 84.

Mrs. Lisbon Letz will host the next meeting Tuesday, Apr. 23.

Those from here who were in Odessa Saturday, Apr. 6th, to attend the wedding of Stephanie Letz and John Zugg, included her parents, her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Letz.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Letz and boys of Abilene were here Easter Sunday visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Spitzer and Mr. and Mrs. John Letz.

Richard Johnson of Ft. Stockton was here last Friday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Johnson.

On Thursday of last week Mr. and Mrs. Beno Herttenberger and Mrs. Katie Gerloff went to Hamlin to see their sister, Mrs. Louise Spradlin, who was there visiting with her daughter and family, the Byron

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Garner and Lisa of Iraan spent the weekend here visiting with the A. R. Sawyers and Morris Garners and also other relatives and friends. They also attended the Easter Picnic at the Dugan place.

Others reported by Mrs. Morris Garner who were visitors in their home or were here to attend church and the Easter picnic included: Mr. and Mrs. Loy Zane Garner, Jana and Julie of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. John Duncan of Rule; Ken Gardner of Swenson; Brenda Trammell of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Lanis Worley of Knox City; also Stanley McBroom, Johnny Garner, Gay Savage and Nona Neal, all students at ACC in Abilene.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Katie Gerloff Easter Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. Emil Herttenberger of Paducah, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Swank of Hamlin, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gerfoff of Abilene.

visited with Mr. and Mrs. Beno Herttenberger. Other visitors in the Herttenberger home and those who came to attend the Easter Picnic included: Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Herttenberger, Cris, Beth and Matthew of Irving; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Herttenberger of Aspermont; Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Herttenberger and Lane of Rule; Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neal of Hamlin; and also Jack Simmons and Andy Maller students at ACC in Abilene.

Mrs. Herttenberger informs us that Jack Simmons, their grandson, will be preaching here at the Church The Emil Herttenbergers of Christ next Sunday. His and Byron Swanks also subject will be "Worrying."

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BE gentle, be kind, to that expensive carpet, clean with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer \$1. Harbert Furniture Company. Vacuum bags for all cleaners.

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GARAGE SALE-128 S. W. 4th. Coffee table, clean clothes, miscellaneous. Thursday and Friday until 4.

Real Estate

FOR SALE-Small house at 437 N. W. Ave. C. 576-3859.

Auction

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR BRANCH OFFICE Notice is hereby given that application has been made to the Savings and Loan Commissioner of the State of

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AUCTION

TUESDAY APRIL 23, 1974 10:30 A.M.

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Partical listing to date: Ford "4000" tractor, Ford

planter and cultivator, 6 row John Deere planter, 4 row gang rotary hoe 3 pt. 3 row rotary hoe, 4 row rotary hoe, 2

row fertilizer (John Deere), (1) 2" tool bar & foot pieces,

3 pt., (20) John Deere foot pieces, 4 row Dempster slide,

4 row stalk cutter, 4 row John Deere slide, (2) 20 ft. C. F.

Cotton trailers, (2) 18 ft. cotton trailers, 5 row stalk

cutter, 250 gal. spray tank with hose and Ace pump, (2) 2

hole hog feeders, (2) 8 ft. sliding garage doors, 31/2 ft. P.

rototiller, 1968 Pontiac 4 door and we expect several other trailers and equipment for this sale. For further

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Political Calendar

The Herald is authorized to make the following political announcements, subject to action of the Democratic primaries: For State Senator, 30th District:

RAY FARABEE CHARLES FINNELL For 104th District Clerk, Jones County: MRS. GLYNN (Lydia)

LOVVORN W.L.(Poochey) Mc-DONALD

(Re-election) For Jones County School Superintendent: HOMER J. MERRIOTT

J. D. HARGROVE For Jones County Clerk: ROY THORN (Re-election)

DON ROSE For Jones County Judge: ROY L. LANE DAVE REVES LEON THURMAN

(Re-election) For Fisher County Commissioner, Precinct 2: E. J. KIKER

(Re-election) For State Representative, 61st District: ELMER MARTIN

M. ALTON STAGGS JR. MIKE YOUNG

For U. S. House of Representatives, 17th Congressional District: OMAR BURLESON (Re-election)

agricultural land in relation The following political announcements are subject to action of the Republican Doing business without Primaries: For State Senator, 30th advertising is like winking at District:

> MARY KIRCHHOFF (The above political an-

nouncements were paid for by the candidates listed.)

Area Reserve Seeking New Members Here

Army Reservists in the Hamlin area are taking an active part in operation "Over The Top," a concentrated drive throughout the 13-state Fifth Army area to bring new members into the Army Reserve.

They are members of Abilene's 490th Civil Affairs Co., one of the top Army Reserve units in the nation for the past six years in a

Both male and female members are being sought for various military positions, including office and secretarial jobs. Only two weeks of active duty is required for some women with special typing skills.

The 490th has immediate openings for several men and women who, while learning the skills required, may earn \$48.42 to \$55.28 for four fourhour drills (usually a Saturday and Sunday) each month, according to Lt. Col. Harold Pittard, 490th commander.

During April, local Reservists will be speaking to high school students in the Hamlin area and will be available to answer any questions regarding Reserve activities and pay.

Further information is available from these area members of the 490th: Spec. 4 Jerry L. Smith, Stamford, 773-3567, or Spec. 5 Charles Chapman, Haskell, 864-2434.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sublett of Abilene were Easter guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Cunningham.

STATE REP. ELMER MARTIN PAY-AS-YOU GO

In his first term as State Legislator from your 61st District, Elmer Martin took with him into the Legislature his Pay-As-You-Go policy tested 12 years as County Judge.

Incidentally, that is when the Legislature, for the first time in 13 years met all state budget obligations without any additional taxes. And, that is another reason Rep. Martin is honestly good for a second term.

Pol. Adv. paid by Elmer Martin Campaign, Elmer

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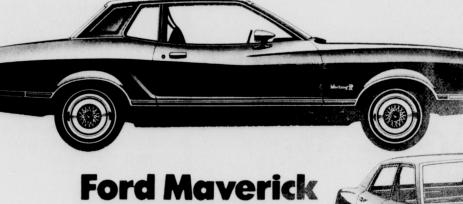
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SIGN WITH HOWARD PAYNE—Albert and Alfred McAfee sign preenrollment forms with Howard Payne College as their coach, David Bonds, and their mother, Mrs. Jimmie Lane, look on. Both boys played offense and defense on the Bi-District Championship Piper football team. Albert, left, lettered four years in football and track and three years in basketball while his twin brother, Alfred lettered three years in track and two years in both football and basketball. Both boys were named to All-District and All-Area honors in football.

NEWS FROM Sylvester

By MRS. R. M. BABB

We finally got .90 in. of rain the other night with a lot of sand and high wind.

Did you have a nice Easter? Did you go visiting and did you attend Church where ever you were. Surely

Recently Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Brown attended the wedding of Vela Alexander of Roscoe. She was the former Postmaster there.

The R. M. Babbs attended the Homecoming at the Justiceberg Batpist Church where he was ordained.

Visiting in the Ross Douglass home the past few days but at different times were, Pam and Jill Douglass of Merkel. Then this past weekend, Dusty, Darrel and DeJon Douglass of Big Spring visited in the Douglass home.

By the way did you by any chance see the Cadillac commercial on KTXS Thursday night about 9:30? Micki Douglass Wright was the young lady in the commercial.

The Prathers of Sweetwater visited in the W. B.

Brown home Sunday afternoon. Saturday afternoon the Nursery Sunday School

class had their Easter Egg Hunt at the Brown home. Guy Mauldin is in Stamford hospital for tests and X-rays.

and will spend several days the dreaded disease. before returning to Irving. week, I said the Purvis than 50 million Americans family was from Irving, they now living will be striken with are from Euless.

Mr. Buster Lambert has returned to Monahans for surgery on his other knee.

The J. P. Maberry family had some 44 people as guests for Sunday dinner, the J. C. Holden family from Midland, Bill Holden family from Odessa, W. D. Holden and family of Abilene, Richard Holden and family, also Gladys Holden of Hamlin, James Davis and family of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Boone of Stamford, Terry Buck and family of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Buck of Roby, Richard Kelly and family, Alton Clem and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Will Kelly all of Sylvester.

Cancer Drive Nets \$1,400

Contributions made to the local Cancer Crusade reached \$1,418.72 Monday morning, according to the Hamlin chairman, Mrs. Robert Fowler.

Collections are still to be turned in. Several streets have not been worked, she

April has been designated as Cancer Control Month and emphasis is being placed on early detection, diagnosis The Wesley Maberry and treatment and support family drove out for Easter of the research programs of

The American Cancer I made a mistake last Society projects that more cancer if present rates prevail. The Society also notes that at least one out of two of every cancer patients could be saved if more people saw their physicians for early detection and treat-

Rainfall

Much needed rain was received here early Thursday morning.

Recorded by Bill Rountree, official weather bureau gauger, was .91 inches.

Help spread the word. Early detection and prompt treatment can save many more lives from cancer.

for any 3 days and 2 nights New designer-decorated double room with

- Color TV Continental breakfast each morning
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Name_ Address Departure date Number of rooms Arrival date_ enclosed; I understand taxes My check in the amount of \$ and gratuities are not included. This Tamanaca special is available year 'round by advance reservation except Mardi Gras and Sugar Bowl periods. Price is per person, double

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Positively every item of furniture will be sold regardless of price All will sell over the block, piece by piece, to the highest bidder

SALE STARTS MONDAY 7:30 P. M. APRIL 22

And will continue until complete stock is sold down to the last item

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

After many months of planning, a NEW KINNEY'S is completed on the drawing boards. A NEW KINNEY'S displaying new correlated home furnishings in vignette displays. A NEW KINNEY'S where you can get ideas as well as new merchandise. A NEW KIN-NEY'S where the unusual will be usual. A NEW KINNEY'S where good taste need not be expensive.

To construct the NEW KINNEY'S the building must be emptied of all present stock now on hand to make room for the remodeling contractors already engaged to begin work as soon as the building is cleared, and for the large quantity of merchandise now on order.

Therefore, because time is of the essence, and the volume of merchandise is so large, we have engaged Mr. Tommy Godwin, the leading merchandise auctioneer in the Southwest, to liquidate our complete inventory by selling it at auction, piece by piece, to the highest bidder. No furniture items will be held back - regardless of price. Kinney's stocks much merchandise other than furniture, and the following will not be auctioned off: tires, Radio Shack merchandise, small gift items.

HOUSE SUNDA

For Inspection Only April 21 From 1:00 to 5:30 P. M.

A Request Auction

Each and every item must be sold over the block, but requested items will be sold first. Come in during open house and browse through the huge stock. If you see an item you would like to be auctioned off early put a request card [available in the store] on it. However, this does not obligate you in any way. All merchandise will be sold from an elevated stage with seats for everyone.

Open for Inspection

All furniture will be on display in our main store, We will hold an open house for your inspection of this quality merchandise on Sunday, from 1:00 to 5:30 p.m. and Monday from 10:00 a.m. until auction time [7:30 p.m.]. Positively no sales will be made during open house. Auction will continue each night until every item is sold. Store will be open each day from 10:00 a.m. for inspection and pick up.

Pick Up and Delivery

All purchases are F.O.B. our store. We will have personnel to help you pack and load the merchandise carefully. Pick up must be made during the week of the auction. We can deliver your purchases at extra charge, but we cannot promise a definite delivery date. We strongly advise you to bring your pick up or trailer. Store hours during the sale will be from 10:00 a.m. until auction time [7:30 p.m.] each day until all merchandise is sold.

CREDIT

We have made special arrangements through HCC for financing your purchases at this auction. They will have a representative on hand to assist you. Please come in during the day to make your own personal and confidential arrangements direct with the finance company. Otherwise, all purchases must be paid for each evening. Personal checks will be accepted with proper identification.

BEDROOM FURNITURE by Thomasville, Burlington House, Bassett, Stanley SOFAS by Clayton Marcus, A. Brandt, Kenline RECLINING CHAIRS by La-Z-Boy Odds & Ends, Carpet Remnants Office Equipment, Friden Calculator, adding machine

SLEEPER SOFAS by A. Brandt, Simons, Smith BEDDING by A. Brandt, Simmons DINING ROOM FURNITURE by Stanley, Burlington House, Bassett Tables, lamps, pictures, accessories

Furniture Company

Lane Issues Statement In County Judge Race

To The Citizens and Voters of Jones County

In asking you, the citizens of Jones County, to consider my Candidacy for the Office of County Judge, I do so with full knowledge of the great responsibility that will be mine, if elected to this very important office.

After many months of careful thought, I decided to ask you to elect me your County Judge, thinking that it would not only be an honor to serve in this capacity, but would be a challenge, a challenge that I believe I am qualified to meet, and I certainly would not ask you to elect me to this responsible position if I did not feel that I was qualified to make you the kind of County Judge that you are entitled to have.

Having been a stock-

Moore Is Ag Club President

Robert Moore was elected president of the newly formed Hamlin Ag Club at the Apr. 9 meeting. The hamburger cook-out was attended by 27 persons.

Other officers elected include Larry McCoy, vice president; Davis Weaver, secretary; Bill Hodnett, treasurer; and Mac Reid, reporter.

The next meeting will be held May 6 when Herman A. Propst of Anson will speak on his recent trip to the Orient. The trip was sponsored by Elanco Products Co. and the National Cotton Council

Mrs. Toler **Elected At** Perryton

Mrs. Holly Pardue Toler of Perryton was elected Council woman in Saturday's elec-

Mrs. Toler and her husband, commodity broker for Whearheart and Co., and their daughter, Emily, 8, have lived in Perryton for 18 months.

She is an active member of First United Methodist Church, and works with 4-H Club and Girl Scouts.

Mrs. Toler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Grant, live in Abilene where he is the postmaster. Mr. Toler's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Holly Toler of Hamlin.

Seventh Grade Girls Win In Volleyball

The Hamlin seventh grade won their division and the eighth grade placed second at the district junior high girls volleyball tournament held here Tuesday afternoon.

Teams competing were Albany, Anson, Stamford and Rotan. Haskell forfeited.

The Hamlin seventh grade scores were 15-8 and 15-6. Eighth grade scores were 4-15 and 6-9.

YOU CAN EAT ALL YOU WANT AND LOSE UP TO SEVEN POUNDS THE FIRST WEEK, THEN TWO POUNDS A WEEK UNTIL YOU REACH YOUR WEIGHT GOAL!

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farmer and businessman, I feel that I have a knowledge of some of the problems that they have. I am aware of many problems that confront our senior citizens, problems and temptations that face our youth daily, problems that our schools are plagued with, problems that have our Law enforcing Officers handcuffed when it comes to dealing with violators and criminals today, and having had four boys in the armed service of our Country, I know some of the problems that these boys face upon their return home.

I was privileged to work two years as a Deputy in the Tax Assessor-Collectors' Office at Eastland, Texas, prior to my election as Clerk of the 91st. District Court in 1944, and feel that while serving in this capacity that I gained a lot of knowledge in regard to County business and County government, and while working in this important Office, I tried to make a thorough study of the needs and the solutions thereto of the County and its

In 1944 I was elected Clerk of the 91st District Court at Eastland out of a field of six Candidates, a position I was privileged to serve in for 26 years before resigning to become manager of Furr's Handy Hut Grocery in Levelland, Texas.

During these 26 years as Clerk of said Court, I burnt a lot of midnight oil studying the rules of both Civil and Criminal Procedure and the Statues pertaining thereto. I was privileged to serve with many of the States' leading District Judges, including Jones Countys' own George L. Davenport, and many of the States' leading Attorneys. I believe my daily attendance in the Court room, hearing the Attorneys present both sides of all kinds of cases including Juvenile, Civil, Tax and Criminal, and hearing them discuss the law as it pertained to each case with the Court, and hearing the Judges' comment on same, should be a great help to me in serving in this important

I believe that my knowledge of the law and of our County Government, will enable me to make you the kind of County Judge that you are entitled to have, and I am seeking this high position on my qualifications and my desire to work with, and serve all the people of Jones

I think we should utilize every opportunity that we have to promote better education and vocational training for our youth.

I believe we should take an active part in Legislation that will not only be beneficial to our County as a whole, but will be beneficial to those who follow in our steps in years to

must work for Legislation that will help take the Hand-Cuffs off of our Law enforcement officers and make it easier to bring offenders to trial

We must strive to have cooperation and teamwork with all organizations to secure new industry for our County and to promote better farm and ranch programs.

There are many other

things that I would like to discuss with you, but space will not permit, and I am sure you have all heard it said "Expect Nothing from Him Who Promises a Great Deal," but you may be assured; that I shall ever be mindfull of the fact that the County Judges' Office belongs to you, the Citizens of Jones County, that I will be your hired hand with a job to do, and that I will not sacrifice principle to appease any individual in performing my duties in accordance with the Rules of Civil and Criminal Procedure and the laws of our State.

I earnestly solicit your help and support in this campaign and promise to give ecomomical, efficent and was courteous service in return for the confidence you will be placing in me by electing me your County Judge on May 4,

Respectfully submitted, Roy L. Lane 601 17th. St. Anson, Texas have a Pap test regularly.

Editor's note: The

Neinda Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Route One discusses gardening this week. more or less

Everybody these days is trying to beat the high cost of living especially by, if he's in a position to do it, raising the price of what he has to sell and hollering to high heaven over the price of what he has

Since groceries are high on most people's budget, if you count cosmetics, hose, cigarettes, lawn fertilizer and other such staples, there is a widespread rush over the country to plant a garden this

LETTER TO EDITOR

Expresses Thanks

The following letter of appreciation was recieved

I would like to express my deep appreciation for each one who rode in the Hike-Bike for the Retarded and for each person that sponsored a hike-

It was through the efforts of all of you that the event was a success

Thanks also to Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Willoughby and the FHA girls for sponsoring the Hike-Bike.

Sincerely, Mrs. C. L. Howard Hike-Bike chairman

David Tyler, son of Mrs. Melvina Marie Hernandez, has been transferred from Great Lakes Naval Base to Norfolk, Va., where he is assigned to duty on USS Newport News.

Mr. and Mrs. George Huling and family of Garland and Mrs. Tommy Richey and son of Hobbs, N. M., visited with their mother, Mrs. Ray Huling over the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Corky Taylor, Stacy and Steve, visited with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry McCoy, Angie and Nikki

Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Williams of Buena Vista, Calif., visited here last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Williams, and her grandmother, Mrs. P. A.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fowler Sunday were her sister, Mrs. Doris Morrison of Abilene, and her brother-in-law and niece, Russell Glenn and Candy of Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Duncan's guests were their daughter and a son and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Roberson and Waylon of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Joey Duncan of Lubbock.

A Reminder For Women You don't have to announce the fact, but if you are over 40, the American Cancer Society hopes that you will see your physician if you notice any unusual bleeding or discharge. It need not be cancer but it should be checked out.

What's Possible Now

The American Cancer Society reports that we could save more lives from cancer with the knowledge we have now if everyone learned cancer's Warning Signals and had a periodic health checkup including cancer tests. How about you?

A Question "If you don't know cancer's Warning Signals, how do you know you haven't got one?" asks the American Cancer Society. Ask the ACS for a leaflet to learn those signals-it may save your

Thank You Dr. Pap! Dr. George Papanicolaou a Greek-American scientist who medical discovered a fast, painless test that can find cervical cancer early when it is most curable-the famous Pap test. The American Cancer Society reminds women to

Philosopher Throws Cold Water On Big City Garden-Growing Movement

city dwellers don't have any

with their mothers, Mrs. L. A. Eaton and Mrs. W. B. Elkins, over the weekend. Other

of Arlington.

Recognizing this, and last night, has come up with a recognizing that a lot of big plan. He has leased a large tract of land just outside the ground for a garden, some city and is in turn sub-leasing smart guy, I read in the paper small garden plots in it to city people trying to beat the high cost of food. Each plot leases Mr. and Mrs. Eugene for \$160 a year and he tells his Eaton of Arlington visited prospects it's possible to grow \$1,500 worth of

vegetables on it. Now I don't want to guests included a grand- discourage this, it would do a daughter and her husband, lot of city people good to get Mr. and Mrs. Randy Borden out in the country and find out what fresh air tastes like, but

I'd advise them not to bank on growing \$1,500 worth of food. A garden looks splendid in a seed catalog but it's hard to

duplicate it on the ground. It's like a movie actress. She looks better on the screen Relatives visiting in the

home of Mayme Deel over the Easter weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Renfro and Jerry of Abilene, Mrs. G. C. Stevens and children, and V. C. Vanmeter and Robert of Corpus Christi.

than she does in broad daylight.

Enthusiasm when you first step onto your garden plot mounts steadily until you've finished breaking the first few square feet and your back is killing you. If you get it all spaded or plowed (you can get a garden tractor for \$400 or \$500) and planted there is another time of exhilaration when the plants first come up, dampened a little when you find out that for every vegetable there are

14 weeds. After you get it weeded you'll find there are more insects on this planet, Horatio, than man has dreampt of.

I could go on but I don't want to discourage the gardening movement. You can grow one if you work hard enough at it, but that's true, alas, of nearly any job. In the meantime, don't alienate your friendly groceryman.

Yours faithfully,

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EN'S BIBLE CLASS—Members of the Men's Bible Class of First aptist Church taught by the pastor, the Rev. Howard Jones, right, filled e new classroom Easter Sunday morning, the first day for Sunday hool classes to meet in the new educational building addition. The new ucture has classrooms for four departments, Fellowship Hall, parlor, ide's room and kitchen.



YOUNG ADULTS CLASS-Members of the Young Adult S.S. Class are shown in the parlor of the new educational addition to First Baptist Church. The class had a high percentage of visitors on Easter Sunday and the room was filled to capacity the first day to be used. Not all those present are shown in picture. Also not pictured are C. L. White, teacher, and Mrs. Howard Jones, department director.

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Horse Vaccination Time Here Again, Says Agent

mosquito and its threat as a first appeared in 1971. sease carrier, especially as A combined vaccine is far as horse sleeping sickness is concerned. So, all horse owners should take steps now

All horses, mules, asses and ponies should be vaccinated for the three types of equine encephalomyelitis (Horse sleeping sickness)-Eastern, Western and Venezuelan. The Venezuelan strain (VEE) caused the

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Warmer weather means deaths of thousands of horses the appearance of the in Texas abd Mexico when it

available for the Eastern and Western strains of the disease and annual booster shots to protect their animals, should be given after the urges Kirby Clayton, county initail vaccination. A agent for the Texas separate vaccine must be Agricultural Extension administered to protect animals for VEE. The vaccine provides protection for about 18 months. Colts vaccinated last year while under six months of age should be revaccinated, points out Clayton.

Vaccines are available through veterinarians and should be administered only by them, notes Clayton.

The Texas Animal Health Commission requires that all horses moving to shows or out-of-state be vaccinated for

Symptoms of the three diseases include depression, lack of appetite and drowsiness. Animals may frequently grind their teeth and and stagger when moving. They may also lunge uncontrollably and assume a "sawhorse" stance.

Although there have been no horse deaths from VEE in the past two years in the U.S., a number of animals were lost last year to the Eastern and Western strains of the disease in some 25 states.

So, plan to vaccinate your horses as soon as possible to give the protection they need, advises Clayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Flores of Merkel are parents of a boy, Chris Lawrence, 6 lbs. 7 oz., born Apr. 6 at 6:34

DEMOCRAT

First Baptist Church Uses New **Educational Building Here Sunday**

Seven Sunday School bride's room. classes of First Baptist Church that had been meeting in the old sanctuary building met for the first time in the new educational building addition Sunday morning.

The new facility, completed week, includes classrooms for an enrollment of 263. The Young Adult class meets in the parlor. Other classrooms include Youth III, the Men's class taught by the pastor, and four women's classes, Naomi, Friends, Homemakers and Mary

The new building also includes a Fellowship Hall, fully-equipped kitchen, and

TEACHER OF YEAR-

preciation Banquet Tuesday

evening sponsored by the

Mrs. Sharp was presented

the award by the Student

Council president, Frank

award to be presented.

Selection for the award is

made by balloting of the high

school student body. Basis for

the selection is taken in two

categories, classroom and

personality. In classroom,

consideration is taken on

Council.

Mrs. Sharp Honored

Mrs. Warren Sharp was discipline, knowledge of

named Teacher of the Year at subject matter and how well the annual Teacher Ap- the subject matter is

Hamlin High School Student activities, getting along with

This is the first year for the sponsor two years and is in

By Student Council

The Meek property east of the complex was purchased by the church and work is underway to sell the garage and house to be moved to provide additional parking

At a called business meeting Sunday evening, Edgar Duncan and Noel Weaver were appointed to make arrangements for the sale of all unneeded equipment in the old building. They are to be contacted by anyone who would like to buy any of the furniture or equipment that will not be used.

Joe Hudspeth is serving as general chairman of the building program. Members of the building committee

presented. Included in per-

sonality, is extra curricular

students and willingness to

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directed the class plays each

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Working on the building finance committee are J. C Turner, chairman; Mrs. Fred B. Moore Jr., J. E. McCoy, Noel Weaver, Robert Hawes, Edgar Duncan, Weldon Johnson, O. H. Weaver Jr., Ernest Jenkins, Leldon Clifton, Cecil Sellers and Charles Evans.

Arrangements will be made for a dedication service in the future, according to the pastor, the Rev. Howard Jones, and the musiceducation director, Lynn Mink.

The old sanctuary building, which was built in 1928, will be torn down later.

The church complex now includes the educational building that was built in 1957, the sanctuary and chapel, completed in 1962, and the new facility. The twostory educational building includes six departments and 22 classrooms are housed in the two-story educational building.

Neinda Reunion **Set Sunday**

Response to the mailing of cards announcing the 23rd annual Neinda Reunion has been good, according to John R. Brown Sr., chairman of

this year's event. A good number of former residents are expected, he

The event opens Sunday at 11 a.m. at the Neinda Community Center

A totally catered meal will be served at noon. Price is \$2.35 per plate. Working with Brown are John Scarborough, J. E. Brown, Irby Weaver, G. W. Drummond, Sam Hodges, Audrey Hodnett and Don

Gregory. The main purposes of the reunion are to visit and enjoy good food and to raise funds for the upkeep of the Neinda

Deadline

Cemetery.

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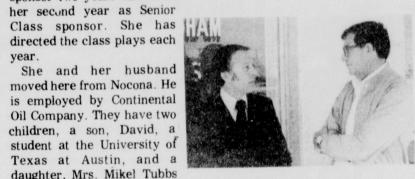
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Junior High **Takes Second** At Track Meet

The local eighth grade track team finished second in the district meet held Tuesday, Apr. 9, in Anson. The team won both relays and picked up first place in three other events.

The 440 and 880-yd relay teams went through the season undefeated, winning in three meets. Running on the 440 relay were Brett McCracken, Mike Hymer, Jimmy Gipson and Mack Lee. On the 880 relay were McCracken, Gipson, Tomlinson and Lee.

Hamlin eighth grade results:

440 Relay-1st, 50.5. 880 Relay-1st, 1:46.1.

220 Dash-6th Jimmy Gipson, 28.0.

60 yd Hurdles-1st Mike Hymer, 8.8; 5th Tommy Maberry, 9.6.

100 Dash-1st Mack Lee, 10.5; 2nd Drew Tomlinson,

100 Hurdles-2nd Mike Hymer, 13.1; 5th Tommy Maberry, 13.5.

50 Dash-1st Drew Tomlinson, 6.0. Broad Jump-3rd Jimmy

Gipson, 17'5"; 5th Mack Lee, 17'11/2" High Jump-2nd Jimmy Gipson, 5'4"

Seventh Grade results: 220 Dash-5th Mario Quintanilla, 29.3. John 440 Dash-2nd

Barerra, 64.3. 60 Hurdles-6th Randall

100 Dash-4th Brown, 12.2. 50 Dash-3rd John Barerra, 6.5; 5th Eddie Ribera, 6.7. 440 Relay-4th 55.1 (Carter, Brown, Barerra and Lane.)

880 Relay-3rd 1:57.9, Carter, Ribera, Quintanilla and Brown. High Jump-1st Ronald

Brown, 4'10"; 3rd Shane Hinkle, 4'6"; 4th Mark Carter, 4'4".

Long Jump-2nd Brown, 16'1"

Pole Vault-3rd (tie) Waylon Collins, 7'6". Discus-4th Vance Lakey,

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Little had their daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. James Hammack and Rae Nan of Richardson, as guests during the Easter holidays. Saturday evening they were joined by Mrs. Little's father. J. H. Rial of Avoca, and Mrs. Bertha Bosse of Stamford.



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"Omar Burleson Day" Proclaimed In 17th District



OMAR BURLESON, U.S. REPRESENTATIVE FOR THE 17TH DISTRICT OF TEXAS

Burleson Began Political Career In Native Jones County In 1930

preciation of the nationally recognized services of a native son of Anson are to be noted in a district - wide tribute to Omar Burleson in the setting which kindled the fires of his ambition at a very early age. In a rare example of a "flowers for the living" salute, his likeness in bronze is to be unveiled at the north entrance of the Jones County Courthouse. It was inside this imposing structure, which held a peculiar fascination for the farm boy from a humble home on Red Mud Creek, later learned his first lessons in law and government. Lessons which he utilized in carving out an outstanding career as a United States Congressman.

It was in his native county that he was elected to his first public office, that of county attorney where he served six years. The next step was to county judge where he presided over county and commissioners court two terms before making his first and only unsuccessful bid for a public office. He lost a race for the state senate to John Lee Smith of Throckmorton in 1940.

Six years later he was elected as a member of Con-

gress from this, the 17th District. He took his seat in the House of Representatives the first time in 1947 and has survived a half dozen relection races. Meanwhile the district has grown in area and population to include 33 counties with a total population of 466,432 (1970 census).

Omar Burleson was born March 19, 1906, one of four sons of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Burleson, and grew up under adverse circumstances on the family farm six miles northeast of Anson. His early life was made more difficult because his father was a

See Burleson, Page 3

Bronze Statue Unveiling To Highlight Celebration

"Omar Burleson Day," Saturday, April 20, has been proclaimed by county judges in the 33 counties of the 17th Congressional District. The appreciation event, planned and sponsored by the "Friends of Omar Burleson," is to be staged on the main street of downtown Anson, centering around the Jones County Court nouse. The area is to be roped off during the celebration, according to B. J. Gist, general chairman and co-ordinator.

The unveiling of a bronze bust opposite the north entrance of the courthouse will climax the program, which is to include a barbecue, a band concert, an Albany Fandangle Sampler and special music by Gene and Bobbie Moore.

Steering committee chairman Gist has announced that personal invitations have been extended to the President, the Vice-President, Speaker of the U.S. House, both Texas Senators, all members of the Texas delegation in the Congress, the Governor, Lt. Governor and Speaker of the Texas House. Gist said that ne had not yet received replies from the dignitaries invited to the celebration. He said he is hopeful that some of the Washington and Austin officials will be present for the occasion.

The world-travelled Hardin Simmons University Cowboy Band will perform throughout the barbecue, starting at five o'clock on the 20th, in addition to a musical production from the Albany Fandangle troupe. Gene and Bobbie Moore of Anson will present vocal patriotic selections during the unveiling ceremonies. The crowd will be led in the pledge of allegience by "Uncle Sam in Action," Lois Dunlap; the invocation will be offered by Dr. John Stevens, president of Abilene Christian College; a welcome to out-of-town guests will be extended by Jones County Judge Leon Thurman, Following the formal unveiling, Congressman Burleson will make a few remarks to conclude the pro-

The festivities will begin at 2:30 in the afternoon with a ladies tea, honoring Mrs. Omar Burleson, from 2:30 until 4:30 in the First Methodist Church Parlor at Anson. During the same hours, a coffee honoring Congressman Burleson will be given at the Anson High School Cafeteria for all men, and both events are open to the public.

According to Mrs. A. J. See Statue, Page 7

PROCLAMATION

THOCEANATION
WHEREAS, we believe a concept of good government is
a well informed, interested and active electorate.
WHEREAS, we believe it is worth noting that at a time
when there is much unrest and dissent in some citizenry
circles, the constituents of the 17th Congressional District
will meet in Anson, Texas on the twentieth day of April,
Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-four to honor the incumbent
Congressman Omar Burleson.
THEREFORE, I Leon Thurman , Judge of Jones
County, Texas, a member of the 17th Texas Congressional
District, do hereby proclaim April 20, 1974 as Omar Burleson
Day in County and invite all citizens to
participate in activities honoring Congressman Burleson for
his years of public service.



CONGRESSMEN BURLESON AND O. C. Fisher get together at a Washington airport following World War II.



THE FUTURE WIFE of the Congressman from Anson, Ruth DeWeese, (extreme left) is pictured here with a group of friends. The photo dates back to their senior year in high school, or to their first years in college. (Photo courtesy of C. L. (Fuzz) Stephen



LOOKING OVER BALLOTS for the 1972 election in which Omar was a candidate for re-election, Omar and Ruth get ready to cast their vote at one of the Jones County voting places in the courthouse.

Omar Speaks His Mind

On Streaking---

We get all kinds of mail-happy mail, sad mail, glad mail, and some mad mail. Now we have one from a parent who wants a Federal law against streaking. Well, of course, there are State and local laws against indecency of all sorts and no need for Federal Marshals of the FBI to be involved.

Seems that some fad is going to be around at some given time. The good news is that they seldom last very long--like the goldfish swallowers, the flagpole sitters and the panty raiders.

A father who was asked what he thought the younger generation was streaking to. After thinking a minute he said, "You know there may be something good in this. His mother and I have decided we do not need to buy the boy the new suit."

On Polls and Surveys---Through polls, surveys, estimates, and guesses, we are supposed to learn what everyone across the country is thinking and be able to find out how many cavities there are.

Polls and surveys serve a purpose but doubt they should be taken as absolute or final. Some polls are supposedly taken nationwide but some coming from the cities in the North, East, West or South do not necessarily reflect the opinion of people in the 17th Congressional District of Texas.

On Federal Agencies ---

It would make news if somtime it could be reported that a Federal Agency has been abolished. Not so. Another bureau will be created under a bill passed last week by the U.S. House of Representatives. If finally enacted into law, there will be a Consumer Protection Law designed to safeguard all of us (for we are all consumers)

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

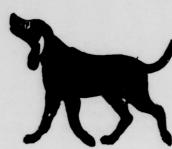
Cong. Omar Burleson's middle name, which few know, came from an old hound dog.

The 17th District Congressman was christened Omar Truman Burleson.

He explains it this way:

"When I was born, the family had this hound dog named Truman. An older brother loved this dog very much, and he insisted that our Mother and Father name me after his dog." Presumably the name honored

both the hound dog and the baby.





OMAR AND RUTH stop for a picture with the Capitol dome as an impressive background.

Bust Of Omar Is Work Of Real Artist

bust of bronze Congressman Omar Burleson, which is to be unveiled on the Jones County court house square Saturday April 20, is the artistic creation of a West Texas sculptress with a down to earth background similar to that of the man to be honored in special celebration. She is Mrs. Joe (Juan Dell) Wade of Buffalo Springs Lake, Lubbock, Texas, who is rapidly becoming famous for her sculpturing of historically oriented personalities.

As a little girl on a Hockley County farm in the 1930's, Juan Dell grew up like most farm children. She has fond memories of those times, her homemade toys, the swims she took in one of the hundreds of galvanized stock tanks that dot the South Plains of that part of Texas. She liked to climb to the top of the windmill that pumped the water into the tank at her home just to gaze across the vast expanse of the rangeland that composed part of the nearby XIT and Spade ranches.

In the spring when it was warm, she enjoyed playing on the sand dunes which sometimes reached two-thirds of

the way up on the cedar fence posts that enclosed the pastureland. There she spent countless hours building sand castles and drawing pictures in the West Texas blow sand. She now looks back on those early artistic endeavors as basic to her present interest and skill in the arts of painting and wax and bronze sculpturing.

Mrs. Wade's interest in art first led her into painting. In that field she gained considerable training in oil painting. Then in 1968 while spending the summer in Taos she lived in an apartment adjacent to a bronze foundry. With typical curiosity, she became interested in the foundry's operation and in bronze sculpture, and by the end of the summer she had completed her first work in bronze, Shamon — "Medicine Man."

This experience opened a whole new life for the "sand dune artist," who had been working with oil paints and wax. Bronze proved the ideal vehicle for portraying the strong, picturesque and famous characters of the past that had long intrigued her.

Among the institutions cur-

rently displaying her work are the Indian museum in Santa Fe, the Buffalo Bill Museum in Cody, Wyoming and the Panhandle-Plains Museum in Canyon.

In 1969 the Wade family moved to Lubbock where Juan Dell has been busy fashioning bronze busts, notable persons, both past and present. Her busts of famous Indian leaders include Sitting Bull, Geronimo, Quanah Parker and Chief Joseph of the Nex Perce. Her characterizations are carefully researched both for detail and for historical accuracy.

Her most recent creation in this field is a portrayal of Texas Ranger Captain, Jack Hays, which was the official commemorative piece for the Texas Ranger sesquicentennial in 1973.

Prior to doing the bust of Congressman Burleson, Mrs. Wade completed a bronze bust of Congressman George Mahon which is being exhibited in the museum at Texas Tech University. She has also been commissioned to do a bronze of Congressman W. R. (Bob) Poage of Waco, and has begun preliminary research for the Poage bust.



THE BRONZE BUST of Congressman Burleson, which is to be placed in the front of the north entrance to the Jones County Courthouse, is the work of Juan Dell, Lubbock sculptor, who was commissioned by the "Friends of Omar Burleson" to do the statue. She has become well known for her artistic ability to fashion likenesses in bronze of past and present notables.

Statue

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Smith of Anson, chairman of the ladies tea, the sculptress, Juan Dell of Lubbock, will be introduced at the tea.

Serving of the barbecue will begin at five o'clock, which is to be catered by the Texas Trails Chuckwagon of Albany, according to chairman Gist.

Gist also pointed out that tickets to the barbecue are \$2.50 each and are available at a number of locations in each county of the district. He added that ticket sales are going well and all indications are that several thousand people from over the district will be in Anson on the 20th for the celebration.

At the final planning meeting in Anson, Chairman Gist expressed his thanks and appreciation and that of the steering committee to the many friends of Omar Burleson who have contributed money and their time toward helping to make this celebration the big success all indications point toward.

Other members of the steering committee include the following:

Jack Cozart, Cisco; J.C. Moss, Anson; E. Dale Herring, Talpa; Mrs. Dolris Dean, Anson; Bob Bailey, Abilene; Maurice Brooks, Abilene; J. Ed Connally, Abilene; Mayor Ike Hudson, Stamford;

Also, Mayor Joe Ford, Hamlin; Walter Johnson, Abilene; Mayor Herman Reeves, Anson; Bob Upton, Abilene; Joe Hodges, Abilene; John Wright, Abilene; Don Maples, Abilene; Dan McLaren, Anson; Leldon Clifton, Hamlin; Earl Smith, Stamford.





THE NAME OF THE GAME is identify the future Congressman, Omar Burleson, in the above photo of the Anson High School senior class of 1924 and in two groups of senior boys photographed while clowning around on Senior Day. If you have given up, check the front row of the senior



class picture by counting five from the left and you have your man. In the small group picture on the left, count from the left to the seventh boy, and in the photo on the right, stop counting at two. (Photos courtesy Hub Holland).



MRS. OMAR (RUTH) BURLESON

Schedule

FOR

"Omar Burleson Day"

2:30 P.M. to 4:30 P.M.

Tea and Reception honoring
Mrs. Omar Burleson--Methodist
Church Parlor

Coffee honoring Congressman Burleson--High School Cafeteria

5:00 P.M.

Hardin-Simmons Cowboy Band Concert

Barbeque--Texas Trails Chuck Wagon

6:30 P.M.

Program--B.J. Gist, Master of Ceremonies

Star Spangled Banner--Hardin-Simmons/University Cowboy Band Fandangle Sampler

Invocation--Dr. John Stevens

Pledge of Allegience--Lois Dunlap, Uncle Sam in Action

Welcome--Leon Thurman Introduction of Special Guests

Vocal Selection--Gene and Bobbie Moore Introduction of Juan Dell Unveiling of Bronze Congressman Omar Burleson

Mr. Burleson's Most Attractive Asset

Ruth DeWeese Burleson was born in Gordon, Georgia. She is the daughter of the late Rev. R. D. DeWeese, a pioneer Baptist preacher, who served in Bronte, San Antonio, Anson and other places in West and South Texas.

The DeWeese family moved to Anson while Ruth was a small girl. She grew up here and attended Anson Public Schools. Later she attended Baylor College. She taught school for a number of years.

In 1929 she married Omar Burleson, her high school "behind every good man..."

sweetheart. Burleson had recently completed his law training and started practicing law. The next year he made his first race for public office and was elected County Attorney of Jones County. That office and two terms as county judge helped in training for the more ambitious post of Congressman which he gained a few years later.

Mrs. Burleson is a past president of the Congressional Club, a quaisi-official organization of the wives of Senators and Representatives. She is active in functions of the Club and was charged with the responsibility of arranging the Club's traditional luncheon for the First Lady on numerous occasions.

Ruth is an accomplished public speaker and her pleasing personality gains favor in all public appearances and social events related to Omar's busy life.

Afternoon Tea To Honor Mrs. Omar Burleson

Mrs. Omar (Ruth) Burleson will be honored with a Tea for Ladies in the parlor of the First United Methodist Church from 2:30-4:30 p.m. April 20.

The afternoon tea is another feature of the "Omar Burleson Day" celebration on Saturday, April 20, in Anson given by the "Friends of Omar Burleson."

Sculptress Juan Dell will also be introduced at the afternoon tea for ladies.

A bronze bust of the Congressman made by Mrs. Dell will be unveiled during formal ceremonies on the courthouse lawn later in the day.

Serving as general chairman for the tea is Mrs. A. J. Smith, Jr.

Co-chairmen working with her on the basic committee are Mrs. Charles Boyd, president of the Tuesday Study Club; Mrs. C. A. Baucum, president of the Anson Woman's Club; Mrs. N. J. Mayfield, Anson Lioness Club pres-

ident; and Mrs. Sam Carnes, president of the Anson Garden Club.

Every woman in Anson is invited to attend the tea, and requested to consider herself a hostess to the large crowd of guests due to arrive in the city during the afternoon. Women who would like to serve on special committees are urged to call the chairmen and volunteer. Plans are being completed rapidly under the excellent leadership of area women.



Mr. and Mrs. Omar Burleson during a visit to the Jones County Courthouse in Anson.

The Ambitious Farm Boy Grows Up

Political Career Begins - - -

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tubercular and because of his illness lived in semi-isolation, leaving much of the work and responsibilities on Mrs. Burleson and the sons, Marcus, Elmer, Weldon and Omar. After his father and one brother died in 1918, operation of the farm became an even greater problem, especially after Marcus started a grocery store in Stamford and Elmer entered the army.

Omar's first schooling was at Newlight, one of the some 30 small schools of Jones County that were later closed by consolidations, It was a one - room, one - teacher school, taught by Lucille Miller, who later became his sister-in-law, Mrs. Marcus Burleson.

After completing the sixth grade at Newlight, Omar entered the Anson schools where he completed his high school education and met his future wife, Ruth DeWeese. Hegraduated from Anson High School in 1924 before setting out to gain the necessary training to realize his ambition to become a lawyer. He attended Abilene Christian College one year, 1924-25 and Hardin-Simmons University two years, 1926-28. He changed to H_SU to play in the Cowboy Band which helped him get through college.

After graduation from H_SU, the future Congressman went to Cumberland University LawSchool in Lebanon, Tenn., "because it was cheaper," where he got his law degree in 1929.

Returning to Texas with a law degree in hand, he hung out his shingle in Gorman. He and Ruth DeWeese married April 21, 1929 and after the Gorman law office proved unprofitable, they moved to Anson. Back in his home town, he entered the race for county attorney in 1930 and was elected. He held the judgship from 1935 through 1940.

His first backset in his political career came during the last year as county judge of Jones County when he was defeated in a race for a seat in the State Senate, but that defeat led to a decision that carried him to the nation's capital where he gained his first on the spot insight in the goings on outside his home county and state. He resigned the county judgship after the November, 1940, election, a few weeks before the term expired and went to Washington as an FBI agent.

He spent a year and a half in the service of the FBI before deciding that it was no job for a homebody and resigned to become secretary to Congressman Sam Rayburn of Stephenville, then the 17th District representative. That job in part of 1941 and 1942 led to his decision to seek the congressional seat for himself when the time was right. He resigned from Rayburn's staff to become general counsel for the Capital Housing National Authority for a brief time before entering the Navy.

He served in Navy intelli-



IN THE NAVY during World War II, Omar served in Navy intelligence and later did duty aboard a minesweeper.

gence, and later did sea duty aboard a minesweeper in the Pacific until the end of World War II.

Then, as he had hoped and expected, there was a vacancy for the 17th District congressional seat and he entered the race with seven other candidates.

In the first primary of that 1946 election, he led a fellow Jones Countian, Ted Miles of Stamford, by only 200 votes to go into the run-off with Bill Blanton of Albany, son of former congressman from this district, Tom Blanton.

Blanton led in the rough first primary with 10,167 votes to Burleson's 8,621, but in the runoff Omar won by a decisive 28,854 to 22,154 for Blanton.

Taking his seat in the U.S. House of Representatives for the first time in January 1947, at the age of 40, the former ambitious farm boy from Jones County, now a freshman congressman, drewanassignment to the House Administration Committee. He received a second committee assignment seat on the Foreign Affairs Committee in 1949 and became chairman of the House Administration Committee in 1955. Both of those committee assignments were given up when he finally won the Way and Means Committee post in July 1968.

He made a bid for the powerful Ways and Means Committee seat in 1966, but scored a near miss when it came to a vote in the Democratic caucus January 17, 1967, losing to Congressman Jacob Gilbert from New York. In the next go-round, July 30, 1968, he won the coveted assignment. When he went to the Ways and Means Committee he had to resign all of his other committee connections.

Aside from his post on the Ways and Means Committee, Burleson exercises a powerful influence in the House through a coalition group known as the Boll Weevil Club made up of conservative Democratic and Republican congressman.

Burleson says that Time Magazine gave the coalition its name because most of the Democrats were southerners. His connection and activity with this group, along with his political philosophy is related in the following exerpts from an interview with Abilene Reporter-News editor, Ed Wiscamper. The interview was printed in that newspaper June 8, 1968:

This coalition crosses party lines to support or oppose legislation, usually on the basis of fiscal policy.

Burleson acknowledges that he still heads this coalition. He prefers to call himself "coordinator of efforts."



A FRESHMAN SEEKS INSPIRATION -- Omar Burleson is pictured beside the statue of Anson Jones, last president of the Republic of Texas, for whom Anson and Jones County were named. The courthouse where Burleson began his public service career is in the background. This photo was made on September 1, 1946, after Burleson had been elected to Congress, but before his term began on January 1, 1947. Saturday, April 20, a bronze likeness of him is to be unveiled at the north entrance of the Jones County Courthouse.

He says there is no formal organization. Rather, it is a loosely knit group.

"When the more liberal philosophy came into prominence," he says, "then and now, a group of Democrats holding to the conservative philosophy—I call it "gravitating together"—met to discuss legislation, whether to support or oppose it depending on the nature of the bill, and to plan strategy and tactics."

When he went on the Ways and Means Committee, he called the group together and tried to resign as its head. He no longer had a committee room in which they could meet, he explained, since he had to give up chairmanship of Administration. But the Boll Weevils would not turn him loose.

Burleson said the Democrats and Republicans did not meet together. Rather, the Democrats met, decided their course, then Burleson went to the Republican leadership to see how many votes could be counted on from that camp.

Burleson thinks this coali-

tion "works for good government." He says on some conservative issues, he can muster as many as 90 Democratic votes, but usually the average is from 52 to 60. In the Republican ranks, usually 163 conservatives can be counted out of the party total of 187.

It takes 219 to win control in the House, with its 435 members.

"If we muster our strength, we can control it," Burleson declared.

Burleson has accumulated numerous honors in his career, before and since going to Congress.

But the one in which he takes most pride is that with which he closed the interview – the honorary doctor of law degree awarded at the Hardin-Simmons University spring commencement in 1967.

"I am very proud of that," he said.

He has also been especially appreciative of the fact that he and Ruth were called back to their hometown in 1960 to receive the outstanding man and woman of the year plaques at a Chamber of Commerce banquet.

Representative Burleson's Aim

FOR THE

17th Congressional District of Texas

... To serve the best interests of the people of this District, the State, and the Nation



CONGRESSMAN OMAR BURLESON

OMAR BURLESON, a Democrat in Congress since 1947, ranks 16th among the 435 Members of the House of Representatives. OMAR BURLE-SON was selected unanimously by the whole House to serve on the powerful House Ways and Means Committee, the Committee which handles all tax legislation, social security, tariffs and quotas on foreign imports, formulation of tax policy and all matters affecting our fiscal policy and monetary system. This Committee also makes all other committee assignments in the House. The Committee is composed of fifteen Democrats and ten Republicans. There are no subcommittees to this Committee and for this reason, any seat below that of the Chairman is as important as any other. OMAR BURLESON has seniority in the House over all members of this Committee except the Chairman. This seniority in the Congress is important and gives your Representative power and influence among his colleagues.

To accept the Ways and Means assignment, OMAR BURLESON relinquished the Chairmanship of the House Administration Committee, the Chairmanship and Vice-Chairmanship of two Joint Committees and a ranking position on the House Foreign Affairs Committee.

OMAR BURLESON seldom misses a roll call vote. He is a progressive, conservative Democrat who is dedicated to serving the best interests of the Nation, Texas and the 17th Congressional District.

The most EFFECTIVE Representative a Congressional District can have is a man who, through many years of experience and seniority, can use his power and influence in the best interest of economy and good government, without sacrificing principle or yielding to any pressure or political intimidation. OMAR BURLESON enjoys trying to be helpful to everyone and welcomes your letters, telephone calls and visits to either his District or Washington office.

OMAR BURLESON was elected to the 80th Congress and has been re-elected to succeeding Congresses.

OMAR BURLESON served as County Attorney and County Judge of Jones County over a period of ten years. He served as a Special Agent of the FBI, resigning to enter the Navy in WW II, and served $3\frac{1}{2}$ years with duty in the North Atlantic and South Pacific. He is a Lt. Commander in the U. S. Navy Reserve.

BURLESON attended public schools in Anson, attended Abilene Christian College, Hardin-Simmons University, and obtained his law degree from Cumberland University Law School, later doing graduate work at the University of Texas. In 1967 he was awarded an honorary LL.D. Degree by Hardin-Simmons.

OMAR BURLESON married Ruth DeWeese. Their legal residence is Jones County. He is a member of the Church of Christ, Masonic Lodge, several civic, service and veterans organizations. He served as District Governor of Lions International.

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"Why cannot we sell our system of Democratic government with a free enterprise system? We know that capitalism is a better product than socialism, but seemingly there is difficulty in conveying the reasons to many of our people — much less to those around the world. It seems that in every hemisphere people who are looking for an improvement in their society tend to look to the left instead of straight ahead. . ."

"... Where else in the world can anyone be so openly critical of government? All over the world people know of the dissent in this country. Do they know that the right to dissent is unique to a free society?"... TV Commentator Joseph McCaffrey quoting Congressman OMAR BURLESON...

Guidelines For Action

The economy of the 17th Congressional District is compatible and represents a close community of interests.

The economy includes . . . COTTON . . . CATTLE . . OIL . . GRAIN . . PEANUTS . . . PECANS . . MILITARY . . EDUCATION . . . INDUSTRY . . TRANSPORTATION . . WOOL . . MOHAIR . . RECREATION . . TOURISM . . PROCESSING . . RESEARCH . . AND HISTORY . . .

...Situated in the heart of a healthy environment with a general average annual rainfall of approximately 25 inches . . . and a lot of sunshine!

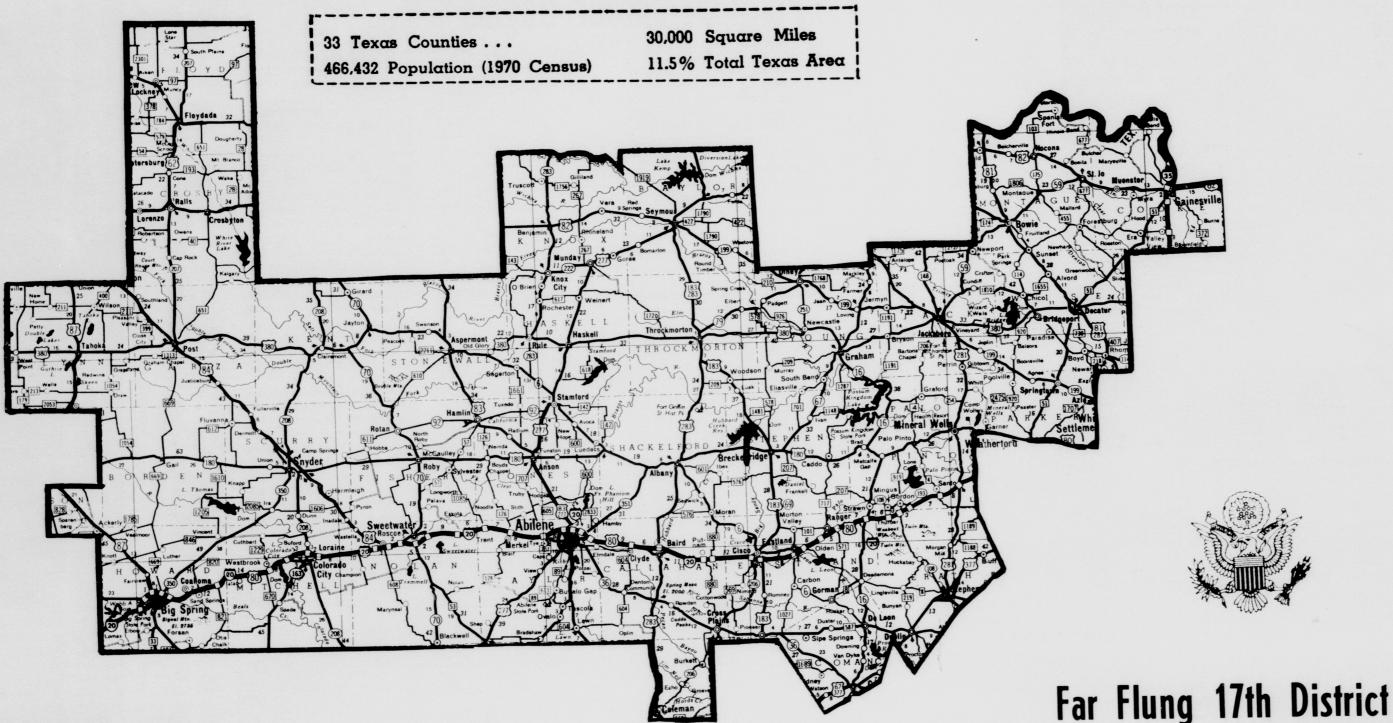
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Special note to friends

The old cliche, "you can please all of the people part of the time, part of the people all of the time, but you can't please all the people all of the time," is very true in terms of the service of a public official.

However, the people of this District have been splendid in their support of me in Congress. Your friendship and goodwill mean more to Ruth and me than anything in the

The fact that people differ is not something to be disturbed about. This is a good sign. We need the stimulation of fresh ideas and every citizen ought to stand on his two feet, so to speak, and defend the position in which he believes.

I have sought to serve the people of our District to the best of my ability, and I think the people generally approve of my service here. Of course, in a free country we make allowances for honest differences of opinion from time to time and all realize that no two people agree precisely on all subjects, or any subject for that matter.

We are confronted in the Congress with many serious, complex and difficult problems. I want to do everything in my power to serve well the best interest of our District and the nation generally.

Government programs cost money and somebody has to pay for them. In my work in Washington I am trying to encourage

and follow a policy of economy and good government. I feel very strongly that our government should pay its own way and should not spend beyond its means. I believe in a policy of pay-as-you-go. We need to have a dollar in value for every dollar spent, I believe in the free enterprise system and I believe that government should stay out of those areas in which there is no necessity for government action.

Certainly I want to ask for your continued good will. I also want to thank you for the support which you have given me. It is very helpful to have your views and suggestions from time to time, and I sincerely hope that you will continue to let me hear from you on all matters so vitally important to our District and the nation as a whole.

Note to newcomers

Not only has the 17th Congressional District grown in area and natural resourses, it has grown and continues to grow in numbers of people. Quite often I have occasion to write, or otherwise, welcome newcomers, but certainly I, along with the many fine people of the District, am happy when people from outside move into our District and become a part of any one of the many progressive, hospitable communities of this

This District has, partly because of the many newcomers, shown tremendous growth in business and civic development during the past twenty years. In fact, this District has prospered more than many of the other Congressional Districts of this state and the nation. This District has prospered through the production of many agricultural commodities of food, feed and fiber. Yes, this is farming country, cattle, sheep, cotton, peanuts, pecans and now mohair. And this is oil and industrial country. And yes, the 17th District is also wholesale and retail country. It is "high IQ" country, with senior colleges and junior colleges, in addition to the many, many outstanding public school districts. And yes, this is even military country with its several military installations throughout the district.

To the newcomers. I can say this is th "Big Country" and growing bigger. Not in the last 20 years has it experienced a setback in its forward progress.

The District has a fine network of highways -- federal and state -- connecting with paved roads all post offices in the District. With railroad and airline transportation to and from many of the larger cities it is a growing "Big Country" prosperous, friendly in an atmosphere of happy, churchgoing people.

Certainly we welcome newcomers. We invite you to become a part of this vast community of mutual interests. We invite you to help this District continue to grow and prosper. The initiative, foresight and ambition of the people of this District has made it grow.

Spread From 12 Counties The bulging 17th Con- other counties. They were gressional District has grown Haskell, Throckmorton, Ho-

expanse extending from the Mills lower South Plains through Cooke County in North Tex- son and Menard became part

his seat in Congress in Jan- trict the present boundaries uary, 1947, the district composed of Fisher, Nolan, Jones, Taylor, Shackelford, Callahan, Stephens, Eastland, Palo counties and portions of two Pinto, Erath and Comanche counties, had a population slightly under the 244,640 shown in the official census of 1950. Currently, following changes in 1955, 1965, 1967 and 1972, the district consists of 33 counties which showed a total population of 466,432 in the 1970 census. The sprawling district now contains 30,000 square miles representing 11.5 per cent of Cullough and Brown counties the total area of Texas.

The first increase, in 1955, added Scurry and Parker cut out and part of Parker and counties to the original 12 all of Dawson County were counties. Ten years later, added. The accompanying map 1965, the district lost Scurry and Parker but took on 12 sent size and shape.

since 1946 from the original ward, Mitchell, Glasscock, 12 counties in West Central Sterling, Coke, San Saba, Run-Texas to a 6-county wide nels, Coleman, Brown and

In 1967 Burnet, Llano, Maof the 17th District. More When Omar Burleson took changes in 1972 gave the disafter 15 counties and part of four other counties were cut out of the district and 10 counties were added.

Counties lost early in 1972 included Hamilton, Mills, Lampasas, Burnet, Llano, Mason, Menard, Concho, Runnels, Coke, Sterling and Glasscock. Added at the same time were Scurry, Borden, Garza, Kent, Stonewall, Crosby, Floyd, Young, Jack, Wise, Montague and Cook. Then in June of 1972, San Saba, Mcand portions of Coleman, Comanche, Erath and Cooke were shows the District in its pre-



A MAN MUST STAND TALL to survey and respond wisely to the needs, wishes and demands of a population of nearly 500,000 in a 30,000 square mile area of a rapidly developing section of the State of Texas. That is the challenge that daily confronts Omar Burleson, who has successively been chosen for the past 27 years to serve as the United States Congressman from the sprawling 17th District, which now includes thirty-three counties. His long tenure would indicate that a majority of the district's electorate feel that he has met the challenge well.